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CLEVELAND TO GET G.O.P. CONVENTION

Chicago's Invitation to the National Meeting Is to Be Withdrawn

STATEMENT ISSUED

Choice Made by Administration Leaders and Windy City Yields

WASHINGTON—(Associated Press) — Announcement that the invitation from Chicago for the Republican national convention of 1924 to be held in that city would be withdrawn was made here Saturday night by Fred W. Upham, treasurer of the Republican national committee.

The responsible administration leaders desired the convention to be held in Cleveland, Upham added.

The announcement by Upham, who came here with a delegation of Chicago business men to urge Chicago's claims for the convention, was said by Republican leaders virtually to assure the selection of Cleveland as the convention city.

Representative Burton of Ohio, a leader among those urging the selection of Cleveland, when advised of the withdrawal of Chicago, said this meant definitely that the convention would go to the Ohio city.

"Now we will go to work," Burton said, "and with the Cleveland spirit make arrangements to insure the comfort and satisfaction of the delegates. It will be Cleveland's first big convention and Cleveland will do it right."

The break from Chicago will mark the first time that the Republicans have not met in the Lake city for twenty years.

COMMITTEE ACTS TUESDAY

The 1924 convention city is to be definitely selected here at a meeting of the national committee next Tuesday and Wednesday. Chicago and Cleveland were the leading contenders with other invitations from Des Moines, San Francisco and Los Angeles. Many Republican committee members, however, had favored either Chicago or Cleveland and the feeling was said to be general that with Chicago out of the race, Cleveland would be almost certain winner.

Upham, prior to his announcement of Chicago's withdrawal, conferred with President Coolidge and Secretary Slemp at the White House and said upon leaving the White House that the president was maintaining an impartial mind with reference to the selection of the convention city. He also saw Chairman Adams of the national committee and other prominent party leaders.

UPHAM'S STATEMENT

Upham's statement removing Chicago from the lists follows:

"Greatly to my surprise I have been advised today by the responsible leaders of the administration that it is their belief that the convention should go to Cleveland. While I am deeply disappointed, especially in view of the fact that I had secured the assurances of support of the necessary number of members of the Republican national committee to insure the selection of Chicago as the convention city, as a staunch party man and friend of the administration, I shall, in deference to this request, withdraw the invitation of Chicago and ask that the selection of Cleveland be made unanimous."

Upham Saturday night advised Chicago hotel representatives, who had planned to appear here before the national committee next Tuesday to urge Chicago's invitation that in view of the desire of administration leaders for the selection of Cleveland he would withdraw the Chicago invitation and it would be unnecessary for them to come here.

CLEVELAND PREPARED

CLEVELAND — (Associated Press)—If the next Republican national convention comes to Cleveland as forecast in dispatches from Washington Saturday night, members of the committee who have been in charge of the campaign to bring the convention for Cleveland said that 17,832 rooms would be available, providing space to care for more than 50,000 visitors.

Joe J. Tompkins, leader of the local hotel men's committee, said that a delegation of prominent business and citizens would leave here Sunday night in a special car for Washington to present Cleveland's claims for the convention before the Republican national committee, Monday and Tuesday.

VIADUCT OVER PENNSY WILL BE SOUGHT THRU PETITION, CITY HEARS

Bond Issue for Improvement to be Asked of Commission

TWO SITES ARE OUTLINED

Proposition Will be Passed On to New Government, Belief

Plans for a connecting viaduct over the Pennsylvania tracks to bring the north and northwestern sections of the city into direct traffic communication with the business section of the city will take definite form this month when petitions for a bond issue for building the viaduct will be presented to the city commission.

Information that this move is ready for launching was given city officials by Ralph Runyon, who has been active in the movement for the building of a viaduct across the Pennsylvania tracks. He said the petition for the bond issue will not specify any particular location. He estimates the total cost of such a viaduct, including condemnation of land necessary for approaches will not exceed $100,000 to $150,000.

ONLY TWO SITES

He said there are really but two available sites for the viaduct, Pierce-st and Metcalf-st and the former is the better for it comes to an end on a bank high above the railroad tracks with a dead end on the other side and an alley.

Runyon said he expects to have the petition in circulation and ready for presentation to the present city commission before the end of the year. The present commission, if it gets the petition, will turn it over to the new commission for action, it was learned at city hall Saturday.

LIMA MAN KILLED AT CLEVELAND

Walks In Front of Auto at Busy Crossing, Report Says

Leo C. Tobin, said to have lived at 456 S. Main-st, was struck and killed by an automobile while crossing W. Fifty-second-st, Cleveland, Saturday night. Dispatches say the man walked directly in front of the automobile.

The driver of the automobile took the man to St. John's hospital where physicians pronounced him fatally hurt. He lived about half an hour. The body is at Cuyhoga-co morgue pending word from relatives.

Investigation in Lima failed to discover any relatives. There is no person by the name of Tobin living at 456 S. Main-st. The only record here is of a L. C. Tobin, 45, salesman, who was arrested here on December 2 and later released. He gave his home as Minneapolis, Minn. While in Lima he stayed at the Y. M. C. A., records show.

POLICE END GAME

Thanksgiving formally closed the football season but Lima youths have their own schedule. Every day they play on the streets. At least they did until one of them kicked a football thru an automobile windshield and then laughed at the driver. Police broke up the game.

THIRD MAN DEAD AS RESULT OF GUN BATTLE

CHICAGO—John Sheehy, who Friday night shot and killed two employes of the Rendezvous cafe because of "rotten service," and wounded a policeman and was himself shot in a pistol duel which followed, died in a hospital here Saturday afternoon.

"Well, if I die, just tell them I was drunk and didn't know what I was doing," Sheehy told physicians a few minutes before he died. Sergeant William O'Malley, the policeman who was wounded in the battle in the cafe after Sheehy had shot two waiters, will recover.

Sheehy, accompanied by two women, went to the cafe which was holding a formal opening of a Japanese room which had been outfitted at a cost of $100,000 and which had drawn 1,000 people for the opening.

HUME SMILES AS PRICE DROPS

City Purchasing Agent to Buy All Soft Coal He Can

VALUES AT VERY LOW LEVEL

Supply Is Plentiful at $1.45 a ton at Mines

City Purchasing Agent Frank H. Hume is shaking hands with himself these days for playing a hunch and not contracting for all of the city's 1924 coal supply when he closed a contract some weeks ago at a price of $2 per ton. That was a low price for soft coal at the time, but the major believed that if everybody stocked up, the price would be forced down so he contracted for only two-thirds of the city's 1924 needs.

Now he is glad he did for coal that was quoted to him at $2.85 and $3.10 per ton at the mines is now being offered to him, he said Saturday, at $1.45 per ton at the mines.

LOW PRICE

He said Saturday that if the city financially was able he could go into the open market and buy all the soft coal the city will need at a price of $1.45 per ton at the mines. "This is the lowest price the city ever has been asked to pay for coal," he sadi. "When I bought at $2 a ton and saw the price going up I thought we had saved big money but now, if we had the cash to go into the open market, we could save still more. Local agents and dealers tell me it is the lowest price they have known of in years."

Major Hume is going to buy as much of this coal at the price quoted as the city finances will stand, he said. The coal must meet the various ash and other tests which the city requires, even at the low price at which the coal has been quoted.

WEATHER

WASHINGTON — Weather outlook for the week beginning Monday:

Ohio Valley—Much cloudiness with occasional rains over south and rains or snow over north portion. Colder at beginning and again latter half.

Region of the Great Lakes —Frequent rains or snows, colder at beginning and again latter half.

NUDE BODY IS HIDDEN IN WOODS

Gruesome Murder Is Confessed By Milwaukee Real Estate Dealer

SLAIN IN BATHTUB

Remains Stuffed Into Trunk And Carried 11 Miles Away—Killer Jailed

MILWAUKEE, Wis. — (Associated Press)—F. Ray Tompkins, real estate dealer of Whitefish Bay and former member of the Milwaukee Normal School faculty, is in the county jail formally charged with the murder of his wife whose nude and headless body was found Saturday near Dongas Bay, 11 miles from here.

Tompkins confessed that he strangled his wife until she became unconscious, placed her body in a bathtub and severed her head under a tap of running water, according to District Attorney George A. Shaughnessy.

Mrs. Tompkins disappeared from her home last Thursday. About 9 a. m. that morning she sent her two children, Marjory, 10, and Robert, 7, to school, and told them she would not be home in the morning but would return in time to prepare lunch for them.

The girl said her father met her and her brother that noon and took them to lunch, sent them back to school and took them to dinner away from home that evening. When her mother did not return home that night she refused to go to school Friday, she said, and called her uncle, William C. Conrad, and told him her mother was missing. Conrad notified the police.

ANOTHER WOMAN

Another woman brought about the conditions at the Tompkins' home which resulted in his attack on his wife, police said. Tompkins, they said, was found by detectives, hired by his wife, at an apartment with a woman said to have been a student of his at the normal school where he taught for 12 years.

As a result, police said, a divorce was to have been obtained and Mrs. Tompkins was to have received a pre-divorce settlement the day she disappeared.

Tompkins was arrested Friday and questioned regarding the whereabouts of his wife but he denied any knowledge of why or where she had gone

CLUES TRACED

The police, in their search for Mrs. Tompkins, learned from J. F. Dongas, owner of an estate on which the body was found, that Tompkins had talked with him regarding the location of the caretaker's home and that later an automobile of the same make owned by Tompkins had been driven to

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IN TURKEY

New photo of first and second ladies of Turkey. Standing is wife of President Mustafa Kemal, and seated we see Galibeh Hanoum, Turkish writer, wife of the president of the Turkish Assembly. One will have to look long and hard to find two more beautiful women.

CITY SEWER BILL OF $2,932,810 WILL BE OUTSTANDING BY JAN. 1

Payments Due in 1925 Total $768,000 Auditor States

SOME ISSUES RUN TO 1950

Chance for New Projects Seen After Next Year

The city of Lima will have outstanding against it Jan. 1, 1924, $2,932,810 in sewer bonds and notes out of a total issue of $3,110,310, according to figures compiled Saturday by City Auditor C. H. Churchill, who sought to get the exact status of the city's sewer bonding power as of the first of the coming year.

These figures cover 27 different issues of sewer bonds and notes dating from Aug. 1, 1899 down to Aug. 15, 1923.

Of this amount outstanding, $768,000 will come due and be payable in 1925 or one year after the new city commission takes office, the figures compiled by the city auditor show. The balance becomes due along thru the years up to 1950 by which time the issue of $56,000 for Sewer B must be paid and retired. Most of those coming due in 1925 are the five-year sewer notes for the Collett-st, Askin relief trunk lines and two laterals.

Figures shown by the city auditor reveal the fact that out of the total issue of $3,110,310 there already has been matured $177,500. At this rate of retirement it would take the city a long time, officials pointed out, to get the bonding leeway down to where any extensive general

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Legs Are Bared To The Hips At Church Dance

NEW YORK — (United Press) — Shapely legs bare to the hips were revealed by feminine dancers at the celebration of the feast of St. Nicholas at St. Marks in the Bowery, which began Friday and continued Saturday afternoon and evening. Dr. Guthrie, rector of St. Marks, urged his parishioners to come to the celebrations in the spirit of youth. They did.

"Put in a pinch of the saturnalia," said the rector, and Saturday he said, "That's the way I like to see formality broken down."

"We have used dancing here a great deal to indicate the great things of life," Dr. Guthrie said just before the final dance.

"We want dancing with a meaning in it—and here we have it."

BODY OF WOMAN IS FOUND IN OHIO RIVER

CINCINNATI—The body of a woman, partially clothed, was taken from the Ohio river here late Saturday.

Identification will be impossible, the police said after viewing the body, except from the clothing. The belief was expressed that the body has been in the water for several weeks. Coroner D. C. Handley declared that an effort will be made to determine the cause of death.

BORROWING IS HIT AS ACT LAPSES

Payroll Funds Cannot Be Replenished By Bonds, Cunningham Says

DECISION FORCED

Occupation, Gasoline Or Similar Tax Must Be Passed, Is Fear

Lapsing of the Griswold act under which the city now issues bonds to pay salaries in the public safety, public works, public health and general city departments, means that after the end of this month, the city can no longer resort to that method of meeting the monthly payroll, Mayor Harold Cunningham said Saturday afternoon, in discussing the city's financial problem for 1924.

Under the Griswold act the city in November and December of this year has issued $4,000 in bonds, each month, to meet the payrolls of the fire and police departments. Other payrolls and operating expenses of the city could be met in the same way when the funds were not sufficient, Mayor Cunningham said.

But the Griswold law lapses with the end of the current calendar year, he said, and then the city commission next year will be up against it harder than ever for payroll funds.

ECONOMIST QUOTED

Quoting Ribout, the great French economist, who said, "taxes should bring the most feathers with the least squawk", Mayor Cunningham said that the new commission must give the problem serious consideration, because of the failure of the three mill levy and the fact that while the tax income for 1924 is estimated at $85,000 for all city expenses, the cost of fire and police departments alone will be about $98,000. And now power to issue bonds to meet the deficit is gone, the mayor says.

Without in any way advocating any of several propositions, Mayor Cunningham discussed methods used by other cities to meet an exact situation, citing Toledo as an example near home.

Some of the propositions before other Ohio municipalities to meet their financial stringencies are a municipal gasoline tax, a tax on retail sales evidenced by a monthly volume report, garbage tax, occupation tax, a wheel tax, and increasing the licenses now levied under the ordinance which became effective October 15.

Taking up the occupation tax the mayor's comment was that the Ohio supreme court, in the case of Cincinnati, has already held that such a municipal tax is constitutional so there would be little chance of court action to tie up its operation. One of the things pointed out against the occupation tax is that it gives the city commission tremendous power because of the fact that the city manager could revoke any person's occupation tax unless his right to work, after paying the tax, was safeguarded.

That there would be a tremendous protest from the merchants of the city should the commission attempt to levy a municipal sales tax to meet city operating expenses, is conceded by both Mayor Cunningham and Commissioner Ellis Jones. Neither official is inclined to the tax but both pointed out Saturday that this method is one of several which Ohio municipalities are discussing as means of meeting 1924 operating expenses.

GASOLINE TAX

Likewise, the commissioners are certain that there would be a strong protest from gasoline dealers and motorists if a tax of a cent or two per gallon was placed on gasoline or a tax was placed on any other one commodity.

Mayor Cunningham said, and his statement was endorsed by Commissioner Jones, that it looks as tho the city, with the lapsing of the Griswold law December 31, will have to grasp one of two horns of a dilemma; either cut the city's service to the public or tax the public to give the service.

As has been repeatedly reported in The Lima News the new city commission on Jan. 1 will face the proposition of a budget for 1924 that is just $167,500 more than all its possible estimated income for that year.

MINE BLAST DEATH TOLL IS INCREASED TO NINE

HAZARD, Ky.—Logan Slavon and Joseph Ivanitz, white men, died in a hospital here Saturday and brought the death list to nine of miners who perished late Friday as the result of an explosion in the Blackhawk Coal Company's mine at Hazard, Ky. [illegible]

COOLIDGE PILGRIMS PLAN TO REPEL ATTACK BY THE INDIANS

WASHINGTON—(Associated Press) —With President Coolidge as its principal guest, the Gridiron Club of Washington correspondents at its winter dinner Saturday night, drew upon New England as the setting for its pleasantries and quips.

"The Pilgrims" of 1922 were pictured laying plans to repell the onslaught of Senator Hiram Johnson and others of a "hostile" tribe of Indians.

The usual array of notables in official and business life sat about the tables and enjoyed the fun. President Coolidge's two sons—John and Calvin —were present, as were ten sons of former presidents, invited as special guests of the club. Twenty living sons of former presidents were invited but only half were able to attend. Those who did come were Abram Garfield of Cleveland, Irvin McDowell Garfield of Boston, Dr. Harry A. Garfield, James R. Garfield of Cleveland, Theodore, Archibald and Kermit Roosevelt of New York; Charles and Robert Taft of Cincinnati and Richard Cleveland of Boston.

The Pilgrim skit was the piece de resistance of the evening. In the background was a view of the presidential yacht Mayflower, riding at anchor.

Pilgrim Stearns (Frank W. Stearns of Boston, the president's friend and advisor) led the way for a band of New Englanders, John W. Weeks, "Elder" Henry Cabot Lodge and others, all in Pilgrim dress and carrying blunderbusses. Heralded by war whoops in the distance, the leaders of the "Indians" one by one, entered and conversed with the colonists.

Big Chief Magnus Johnson: "Does anybody here speak Swedish?"

Secretary Slemp: "I speak all congressional dialects, Chief, and yours is no worse than many I have heard."

Magnus Johnson was followed by LaFollette, Borah and Hiram Johnson, in the dress of Indian braves. Each declared himself the leader of the tribe of hostile Indians. Hiram Johnson, the last of the [illegible] appeal, declared that he was out to "kill a Pilgrim". The rival chiefs departed noisily and a witch ran on the stage, pursued by Elder James E. Watson. She was the "spirit of the World Court".

Lodge seized the witch, and Watson ordered her conducted to the capitol and "committed to the custody of the Foreign Relations Committee of the United States Senate."

"And," concluded Watson, "may God have mercy on your soul."

The closing scene showed Priscilla dashing on the stage. Across the front of her dress was a placard, "The 1924 Nomination."

Archly, Priscilla told the colonists of others who have sought her hand —Herbert Hoover, Charles Hughes, Frank Lowden—and of that present "insistent suitor," Gifford Pinchot. And all the while, she added, the Indians are threatening to carry her off.

Weeks declared that all her old suitors would defend her against the Indians, "and would go down to political death" before permitting her to fall into the hands of "that Indian." [illegible] of hope for Captain Coolidge, and the maid replied:

"Why does he not come himself and take the trouble to woo me? If I am not worth the wooing, I am surely not worth the winning. Surely a maid worth courting must also be worth the asking. Granted Calvin is silent, he must find words if he wants me. If he seeks me, let him ask; till then, I answer silence with silence."

Then there was a take-off on the "press conferences" between correspondents and cabinet officials. Half a dozen reporters were calling on a high official, wearing whiskers. The official artfully concealed his mind with a wilderness of words.

The official said: "The Johnsons race, the Borahs howl, the Underwoods accuse;

But yes, we have no policy, excepting Mr. Hughes."

A reporter asked: "I'd like to have you say, sir, if McCormick's charge is true;

"Are you a coy Lotophagus, or is that word taboo?"

And the high official muttered: [illegible] to me in malice.

"The lotus is a plant, I think. See Secretary Wallace."

Numerous officials of the government were made the target of "snappers" set off, apparently at random, between the longer skits. For instance, a club member interrupted to repeat a rumor that Attorney General Daugherty was about to begin a smashing trust-busting campaign. He wanted to know when it would start.

"When does the Republican party nominate its candidate for the Presidency?" asked President Henning, of the club.

"About June 10th next."

"Well," asked Henning, "what more information do you want?"

Finally, the Gridiron singers addressed President Coolidge, seated at the table with the president of the club, beseeching him, in song to top the dinner off with a speech.

The inviolable rule of the Gridiron Club, however, prevents reporting what President Coolidge said. The same rule applied to remarks by [illegible]

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TRADE OUTLOOK IS DECLARED ROSY

Prosperity Cannot Be Halted, Leading Business Man Asserts

OTHERS HOLD SAME VIEW

Prominent Manufacturers Interviewed as to Prospects

(BY EDWARD P. BALLINE)

DETROIT — (United Press) — The automobile industry in 1924 will equal, if not exceed the prosperity it experienced this year—the great year in its history—three of the leading motor car manufacturers in America predicted in exclusive interviews with the United Press Saturday.

The "greatest stimulant that business could have," C. S. Mott, vice-president of the General Motors Corporation, said, is the full adoption of Secretary Mellon's recommendations for drastic tax reductions.

But the advance of prosperity in America cannot be halted, Vice-President Mott said, not even by industrial stagnation in Europe

Harry Jewett, president of the Paige-Detroit Motor Car Co., pointed to increased and steadier employment—"our best indications of industrial prosperity"

PROSPECTS IN GENERAL

Jewett, Mott and Alvin McAuley, president of the Packard Motor Co., all expressed their belief that the rosy prospects of the new year hold good for American industry in general. The prosperity of the automobile industry, President McAuley said, is the best check there is on the buying power of the people.

"While there are bound to be some exception," said Mott, "I believe the automobile prosperity is indicative of general conditions. If the European situation were generally settled and Europe in position to buy on pre-war basis, our European business would doubtless be greater and thus add to what we have. But it has been demonstrated that even with the adverse European conditions of the past few years, business in this country can thrive."

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RUM RUNNERS DUE FOR BLOCKADE

Prosecutor Pictures Result of Columbus Conclave

Rum running from Canada, and states bordering Ohio is to be made unprofitable as a direct result of the law enforcement conclave held in Columbus, Prosecuting Attorney Lippincott declared Saturday.

Meeting of more than 1,300 public officers, he said, for the purpose of discussing the liquor problem, can not fail to secure results.

The conference disclosed, he said that in some counties in the state there has been a lack of cooperation between officials. Allen-co, however, is not among them, he said.

Never-the-less, Lippincott predicted that even greater efforts will be made here in the future to mop up moist goods.

Information and experiences told of by officials at the conference, Lippincott declared, were invaluable and will aid every county in running offenders to earth.

Machinery has been set in motion by the meeting, by which city county, state and federal officers are to unite in a drive designed to break up transportation of liquor over state highways.

Capture, recently, of trucks laden with beer and whisky in Allen-co, leaves no doubt, Lippincott says as to the existence of an enormous traffic flowing over the Lincoln and Dixie highways. A concerted effort will be made he says, to break it up. Elimination of rum running, he believes, will put the big bootleggers out of business.

"That is what we have been after all along," he declared.

650 TAGS ORDERED UNDER LICENSE LAW

Orders for the metal tags which are to be distributed to those requiring city licenses under the ordinance, have been placed by Purchasing Agent Frank H. Hume, a total of 650 tags being ordered for hucksters, draymen, milk wagons, garage wagons, including the badges for chauffeurs.

These tags will all be black-lettered, the number and color schemes of the tags being as follows: hucksters, 300 tags, black letters on white field; dray wagons, 300 tags, black letters on yellow field; milk wagons, 60 tags, black letters on white field; garbage wagons, 30 tags, black letters on a silver field; chauffeurs, 50 badges, black letters on nickel plate.

MILE IS COMPLETED ON ST. JOHN'S-RD WORK

Improvement of a mile section of St. Johns-rd south of the present pavement by heavy stone macadam construction has been completed, Ed Smith, county surveyor announced Saturday.

The stone will form the first course for a base for the proposed extension of the pavement contemplated for construction in 1924

The road will be open for traffic Wednesday, Smith declared.

LIMA AUTO CLUB'S SIGNS ATTRACT WIDE ATTENTION

Large six-foot danger signs erected by the Lima Automobile club on Allen-co roads have attracted wide attention from other motoring clubs in Ohio.

They are among the largest danger signs to be erected in Ohio, and smaller signs are to be erected near Cleveland by the Cleveland Motor [illegible] J. Stutzer, was advised [illegible]

LIQUOR FOR BANKER, CAPTAIN OF SEIZED SCHOONER DECLARES

NEW YORK.—The Dutch auxiliary schooner Zeehond, known to prohibition forces as the "See Hound," the venturesome transport which brought to American shores from island rum ports the vast stocks purveyed by "Mannie" Kessler, the 'Bootleg King," was seized by coast guards Saturday off Fire Island Inlet.

At her stern fluttered the tri-color merchant flag of the Netherlands. In her hold was $250,000 worth of the finest champagnes and whiskies.

The Zeehond is owned in the Netherlands, according to official registers, but Kessler was believed to have controlled all her operations in so far as the carrying of liquors was concerned.

Captain Krans, with a heavy accent, declared that this was untdue. The 2,500 cases of champagne and the numerous cases of whiskies and cordials in his schooner, he insisted were to be taken to a banker in Halifax, whither the ship was bound, according to her papers.

PROSECUTOR IS ARRESTED

Illinois State's Attorney Accused of Accepting Bribes

ROBINSON, Ill., — (Associated Press) — Twelve federal prohibition enforcement officers and United States marshals, under the personal supervision of the group chief, Charles W. Vursell, of East St. Louis, armed with thirty-five bench and search warrants, swooped down in this (Crawford) county Saturday afternoon and in one of the most comprehensive cleanup campaigns ever conducted in this section of Illinois.

State's Attorney Charles Jones, who is alleged to have accepted bribes, ten men and two women have been taken into custody by the agents, who are continuing their search Saturday night.

Disregarding city and county officials, the agents, acting upon evidence alleged to have been obtained secretly by a local law and order, league, began their campaign which Vursell asserts probably would result in the arrest of at least 25 more offenders before the night had passed.

Vursell, armed with an affidavit purporting to be a confession obtained froman alleged bootlegger, accusing the state's attorney of accepting bribes from him on six different occasions, went directly to Jones' office and placed him under arrest. Jones was said to have approached the bootlegger demanding protection money on the threat of either driving the bootlegger out of the county or prosecuting.

HUSBAND SEVERS WIFE'S HEAD

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Lion's Den, a wooded glen near Dongas Bay. The imprint of the tire tread was the same as the tread on the tires of Tompkins' car An investigation of the tonneau of the car revealed bloodstains as did a pair of overalls identified as Tompkins'.

County officials took Tompkins to the Lion's Den Saturday and he aided them in the search for his wife The body was covered by muck, leaves and stones in a well hidden spot Tompkins turned to Sheriff Phil Westphal and in a choking voice, cried "Who could have done this thing? Find the guilty one"

NERVE BREAKS

Three hours later, according to Shaughnessy Tompkins' nerve broke and he confessed.

In her distress over the conditions at her home, Tompkins said, his wife addressed a letter to her father in which she detailed her troubles and told of her husband's infidelity. The letter said she intended placing charges against her husband unless he divided his property with her and consented to a separation.

"In his confession," as related by the district attorney, "Tompkins said he came into possession of the letter before his wife posted it. He returned home Thursday morning after the children had left for school and confronted her with it After a stormy few moments he declared his wife said: 'You are only good for tending furnaces'.

"This taunt enraged him and he caught her by the throat, choking her into unconsciousness. He carried her body to the bathroom where he placed it in the tub, turned on the water and went to the kitchen, where he procured a large butcherknife, with which he removed her head He carried her head to the basement and placed it in the furnace.

"Later in the day he placed the body in a trunk, carried the trunk and its contents to the garage, where he loaded it into his machine, and at his convenience drove to the spot where he hid the evidence of his act."

WOMAN'S TALK LEADS TO ARREST OF SUSPECT

HOBOKEN. — A woman of the underworld who talked too much led to the arrest Saturday of John Farina, said by the police to be one of the two men who wantonly shot and killed two Brooklyn bank messengers from whom they took $43,607 last November 14.

Altho Farina stoutly denies any connection with or knowledge of the crime, New York police and District Attorney Dodd, of Brooklyn insist he is one of the murderers. The second gunman, they said, would be taken soon.

Three days ago, on Manhattan's lower East side, a loitering detective overheard a woman of the underworld tell a man companion "Johnny's got the stuff planted. Twenty thousand, he got out of it. And he's going to dig it up and sail for Italy by Monday."

$2,932,810 BILL DUE ON SEWERS

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sewer work could be done at city-wide expense. They point out, that the retirement in 1925 of nearly three-quarters of a million dollars in sewer notes will open the way for the issuance of more notes after another year has passed.

WHAT FIGURES SHOW

Figures for each of the 27 issues showing the date they become due, the original amount of the issue and the amount that will be outstanding Jan. 1, 1924 are as follows:

Bellefontaine relief trunk, 1936, original issue, $137,550; outstanding $137,550.

S Main and Wattlown relief trunk, 1936, original issue, $581,700; outstanding, $581,700.

O'Connor-av, 1937, original issue, $6,565; outstanding, $6,565.

Runyon-av, 1936, original issue, $5,185; outstanding, $5,185.

Ashton-av, 1936; original issue, $6 050; outstanding, $6,050

McDonel-st, 1936, original issue, $7,160; outstanding, $7,160.

Sewer B, 1950; original issue, $56,000; outstanding, $54,000.

I. S. & D. P, No. 1, 1939; original issue, $30,000; outstanding $30,000.

General No. 1, 1935; original issue. $25,000; outstanding, $24,000.

Sewer C, 1934; original issue, $12,500; outstanding, $11,000.

Interceptors and outfall, 1946, original issue, $563,000; outstanding, $540,000.

Sewer C. P., 1947; original issue, $128,000; outstanding, $128,000.

Sewer (name not given). 1947; original issue, $76,000; outstanding, $76,000.

Sewer, (name not given). 1947; original issue, $280,000; outstanding, $280,000.

Michigan-av, 1928; original issue, $42,000; Collett-st $21,500, total, outstanding, $63,500

Sewer B. relief 3-49, 1925; original issue, $100,000; outstanding, $8,000.

Sewer Fund B. 3-55, 1927; original issue, $50,000; outstanding, $7,000.

Sewer Bonds A, 1928; original issue, $155,000; outstanding, $140,000.

Collett-st improvement notes No 1., 1925; original issue, $35,000; outstanding, $35,000.

Collett-st sewer notes, 1925; original issue, $250,000, outstanding, $250,000.

Collett-st Improvement Notes, 1925; original issue, $100,000; outstanding, $100,000.

Collett-st sewer improvement notes, 1925; original issue, $100,000; outstanding, $100,000.

Askins relief trunk sewer notes, 1925; original issue, $100,000; outstanding, $100,000.

Askins relief trunk improvement notes, 1925, original issue, $124,000; outstanding, $124,000.

Askins internal relief sewer notes, 1926; original issue, $20,000; outstanding, $20,000.

N. Central-av, lateral relief sewer, 1926; original issue, $48,000; outstanding, $48,000.

North-st lateral relief sewer, 1925; original issue, $50,000; outstanding, $50,000.

WILL HAVE LEEWAY .. ..

With the revaluation of properties which it is hoped will be completed effective by 1925, when many thousands of notes and bonds mature and will be retired, city officials are confident that after 1924 is gone, the city will be in great financial shape for bond issues for sewer improvements This will come, they point out, just about the time the present sewer system, designated to meet the present city limits, is about to fulfill its mission and the city has expanded still further

Under the state law the city can issue on sewer bonds for general sewer work to the extent of three per cent of its assessed valuation, City Manager Bingham said. With an increase of about $1,000,000 in the assessed valuation for 1924 over that of this year, the city will just be able to take care of the $80,000 issue necessary to finish the Fred R. Jones Co. contract or the intercepting and outfall sewer on Eureka-st, he said.

Figures given in the report of the city auditor were compiled by him for his own benefit as well as that of the city solicitor who desired exact information as to the sewer bonding status as of the first of the coming year.

DINNER PLANNED BY TATAPOCHOON CLUB

Tatapochoon club of the Y. W. C. A will enjoy a Christmas dinner Tuesday at 5 p m. at the association rooms A business meeting and rehearsal of the playlet, "The Transfiguration of Gifts" which will be presented at the County Infirmary on December 18, will follow the dinner

Other activities for the week follow:

Monday, finance committee, Mrs. I. R Longsworth, chairman, 2 p m.

Tuesday, monthly meeting of the board of directors, 7:30 p. m.

Wednesday, "Live Y'ers" club to hold Christmas dinner, 6 p. m.

Central Blue Triangle club party, 4 p. m.; Educational committee dinner, 5 p. m.; Choral club practice, 7 p. m ; Basketry class, 7 p. m.

Thursday, Health Education committee, 2:30 p. m.

Friday, Physical and Industrial departments entertain Lima Locomotive girls with Christmas party in the gymnasium.

UNUSUAL WATER MAIN CONNECTION FOUND HERE

One of the most unusual water main connections ever seen in the memory of city officials was unearthed at Miller-av and E. Market-st Saturday by City Manager C. A. Bingham and Superintendent Charles Evans of the water department.

They had received complaints about a leak in the mains at that point and made an investigation. They found a four-inch main on Miller-av and a six-inch main on E. Market-st, which were running at right angles about three or four feet apart and which had been connected with a one-inch pipe.

Thus, they explained, the four-inch main in Miller-av was fed thru a one-inch pipe from a six-inch main in E. Market-st. And this inch main was the one that was leaking, the officials said.

ALLEGED ROBBER ARRESTED HERE

Search for Fifth Member of Michigan Gang Ends

Two-year search for the fifth member of housebreakers wanted in St. Josephs, Mich., ended here Saturday with the arrest of Ralph MacIntyre, alias James Murphy, 36, by Detectives Taylor and Clapper at a local billiard parlor, according to police.

MacIntyre or Murphy was recognized from photographs on file at headquarters, received from Sheriff Frank Bridman, of St. Josephs.

Police say Sheriff Bridman holds burglarly and robbery warrants against the fugitive, who escaped after a running gun battle with St. Joseph officials in which two members of the gang were shot down and captured. The other two were captured later and the arrest of MacIntyre or Murphy cleans up the gang, police declare.

MacIntyre worked in Lima for two years without being suspected, police declare.

Sheriff Bridman in a long distance telephonic conversation Saturday night informed local authorities he would proceed for issuance of extradition papers. Warrants will be forwarded Sunday from St. Josephs.

The prisoner would make no incriminating statements at headquarters. His only comment was that he never would go back to Michigan unless extradition papers were served.

BOTKIN IS READY TO TAKE COIN

Gets Ready For Taxpayers' Rush Which Begins Monday

Taxes will commence to roll into the coffers of Allen-co Monday, three weeks later than usual.

Harry E. Botkin, county treasurer and his force of deputies are ready to take the money. Receipts have been made out and will be turned over to property owners as fast as taxes are paid in

Botkin turned down considerable tax money offered Saturday and told those who attempted to make payment to come back Monday.

Allen-co is not the only place in northwestern Ohio to start collection late, Botkin declared. In Auglaize-co collection will not start for at least another week.

More than $1,000,000 must be paid in before Dec. 20. After that date the penalty of 15 per cent excess allowed by law can be charged

SUBWAY DANGER OBJECT OF CITIZENS' PROTESTS

A narrowly averted accident Saturday night at the Elm-st undercut of the B. & O. will result, it is said, in the presentation Monday night of complaints to commissioners for elimination of hazards on that street.

C E Earley, 916 Madison-av, driving west under the tracks nearly ran over a woman. He stopped his machine and after he was sure the woman was uninjured, he reported to police.

That the undercut is extremely hazardous is shown in the absence of a board walk for pedestrians, who are compelled to walk on the right-of-way of motorists and when cars meet under the bridge pedestrians are trapped.

WILL SPEAK AT COLLEGE

Joseph F. Habegger, an alumnus of Bluffton College, who recently returned from a year's service in relief work in Russia for the Friends' Relief committee, will speak at the Vesper services at Bluffton college Sunday afternoon. Habegger was in the harbor at Yokohama the afternoon of the Japanese earthquake and he will describe conditions following the catastrophe.

FORD REPAIRING 25% REDUCTION

Contract labor prices on Ford repairing has been reduced approximately 25 per cent by the Timmerman Motor Sales Co., 545 W. Market St. You know what the work will cost before it is begun. Phone Main 4712.

LIMA'S ON MAP OF AUTO TRAILS

Gets on Alternate Route of Lincoln Highway

Lima will be shown on the new Ohio official automobile route map, as being on the alternate Lincoln highway between Delphos and Mansfield, even tho the main Lincoln highway between the two points is to be shown as running from Delphos thru Cairo, Beaverdam and Upper Sandusky.

Assurances to this effect were given Saturday to Secretary J. E. Morton of the Board of Commerce by a representative of the Lincoln Highway Association who said that not only Lima but Kenton and Marion will also be shown on the alternate Lincoln highway route.

Originally the Lincoln highway went from Delphos towards Cairo then turned south to take in Lima, thence turned north to Beaverdam and on thru Upper Sandusky to Mansfield. Because Lima did not support the Lincoln Highway Association with memberships, a new highway was run direct from Delphos, thru Cairo, Beaverdam and Upper Sandusky to Mansfield, it is claimed locally.

The combined population of these four towns is not equal to that of Kenton, the smallest of the three places on the proposed alternate route, Morton said Saturday. And he added that Lima offers the best hotel facilities between Chicago and Pittsburgh for automobile travelers.

It was because of the importance of Lima and its hotel accommodations and the fact that Marion will be the mecca for tourists because it is tht final resting place of the late President Harding, that the alternate Lincoln highway route is to be designated on the official automobile maps thru Ohio, the highway association representative told Morton.

The alternate route will leave Delphos over what now is designated as the Lincoln highway but before reaching Cairo it will turn south at an angle of about 45 degrees and come into Lima, thence to Kenton and to Marion and then in a northeasterly direction into Mansfield.

Both Secretary Morton of the Board of Commerce and Secretary James Heffner of the Automobile club have been working to get Lima on the proposed alternate Lincoln highway route designated on the official auto road maps across the state and they are now confident their efforts have succeeded.

WALDO CAFETERIA CO TO OPEN NEW PLACE

A. N. Keltner and J. D. Petree, incorporators of the Waldo Cafeteria Co. Inc. announced Saturday they had decided to expand their local business by opening another cafeteria at the corner of Wayne and N. Main-sts. The opening will occur Monday.

J. D. Petree will have charge of the new cafeteria while Keltner will retain the management of the Waldo. Both men are Lima boys who started the cafeteria in a small way and have built up their company until they are ready for expansion.

THREE HURT IN BLAST

PINE BLUFF, Ark. — Three persons were injured and damage estimated at $40,000 was caused by an explosion which wrecked a portion of Sahara Temple Shrine building and damaged the fronts of two stores here late Saturday.

Escaping gas is believed to have caused the blast.

From Janitor To Mopmaker, Such Is Feth's Vision

From courthouse janitor to millionaire mop manufacturer may be a long leap.

Nevertheless, Bill Feth, custodian of the county building, seems destined to negotiate the gap thru the invention of a new style mopholder, which threatens to revolutionize floor massage.

Feth was granted a patent on his invention by the U. S. patent office in Washington, Nov. 27. He received his papers several days ago, and since has been bombarded with offers from manufacturers who desire to turn out his mops on a royalty basis.

So far he has got closed with any one, but is considering a very attractive offer from a Chicago concern. Salesmen who have demonstrated the mopholders on the road for the last three months, say it "sells like hot cakes". The janitor's simply "go wild over it," they say.

The new holder has a distinct advantage over others in that in changing a wet mop to a dry one, one side of the holder unlocks, the old swab slides off, and the fresh one slides in and is locked in place.

Feth worked out his invention, he says, because he encountered so much trouble with the style he was using.

MEXICAN REBELS ARE ROUTED

Put to Flight in First Battle With Federals

EL PASO—(Associated Press)—Federal forces Friday routed insurrectionists in the first battle of the Vera Cruz section at Maltrata, a station on the Mexican railway, half way between Mexico City and Vera Cruz, according to unofficial information received in Jaurez Saturday night.

The revolutionists were reported in retreat. Maltrata is a small mountain village near Orizaba. The report was unconfirmed in official circles at Juarez.

DYNAMITE FOUND

Sticks Discovered in Tool Box Left By Contractor

While examining the condition of the trench left by the Fred R. Jones Co. in connection with its work of building the intercepting sewer on Eureka-st, city officials assert they found a number of dynamite explosive caps and several sticks of dynamite which had been left in the company's tool box.

City Manager Bingham ordered the find removed from the tool box and placed in the storage house of the contracting company. He denied Saturday afternoon, reports that thee also were found a number of sticks of dynamite in the ground along the trench where work was suspended when Jones defaulted on his contract. He said the only dynamite found was in the tool box.

COAL MEN'S WAR ON "SNOWBIRDS"

Launch Fight on Persons Who Sell Without Weight

Retail coal dealers who Friday night decided to have special insignia on their wagons as part of their fight against those who sell coal without weight, have asked the city to join in their fight to prosecute.

City Manager Bingham said Saturday there is a drastic law against selling coal without weight but that the city is powerless to prevent the operations of "snof birds," as they are called, unless the city actually can catch them at it. Most of these violating the law, the city manager said, are groups of people who pool their interests, buy a car of coal, and then distribute it among themselves without weighing it. This is contrary to law. In other cases the "snow birds", he said, are those who steal coal and hawk it from house to house without weighing it. These people are open violators of the law and as fast as they are caught will be prosecuted, he said.

Another class of "snow birds" comes out of the group which pools its money and buys a car direct from the mines. It often happens, he said, that some one of the group will sell the coal he gets to his neighbors without first weighing the coal.

The retail dealers who met Friday night brought out the fact that any person who sells coal without first weighing it is liable to state prosecution and heavy penalties. These dealers demand that city authorities act to stop the operations of "snow birds" but all the city can do is actually to catch these people selling coal without weight.

Manager Bingham offered to cooperate with the retail dealers in every way possible, but pointed out how easy it is for a group of citizens to pool their money, buy coal and distribute it without weighing the coal and the city be none the wiser.

CANDIDATES FACE PROSECUTION

Failure to File Accounts of Election Expenses Cited

Prosecution of candidates for office in the November election who have failed to file an account of their campaign expenses will be undertaken in the near future, Eugene T. Lippincott, prosecuting attorney, announced Saturday.

A list of the candidates who failed to file accounts has been received from Attorney General C. C. Crabbe, with instructions to proceed against them if they refuse to file.

"All candidates are required to file under the law," Lippincott declared. "It makes no difference whether they are elected or not, or whether any money was spent."

The list of delinquents in Allen-co is quite lengthy, it is said.

GETS JAIL SENTENCE

Thomas F. Weber, formerly of Lima, was sentenced to three months in Hamilton-co jail after pleading guilty Saturday in U. S. District court at Cincinnati to a charge of forging a check of $21.25 payable to Ft. Thomas, Ky., army officer's wife.

Day By Day, Year By Year

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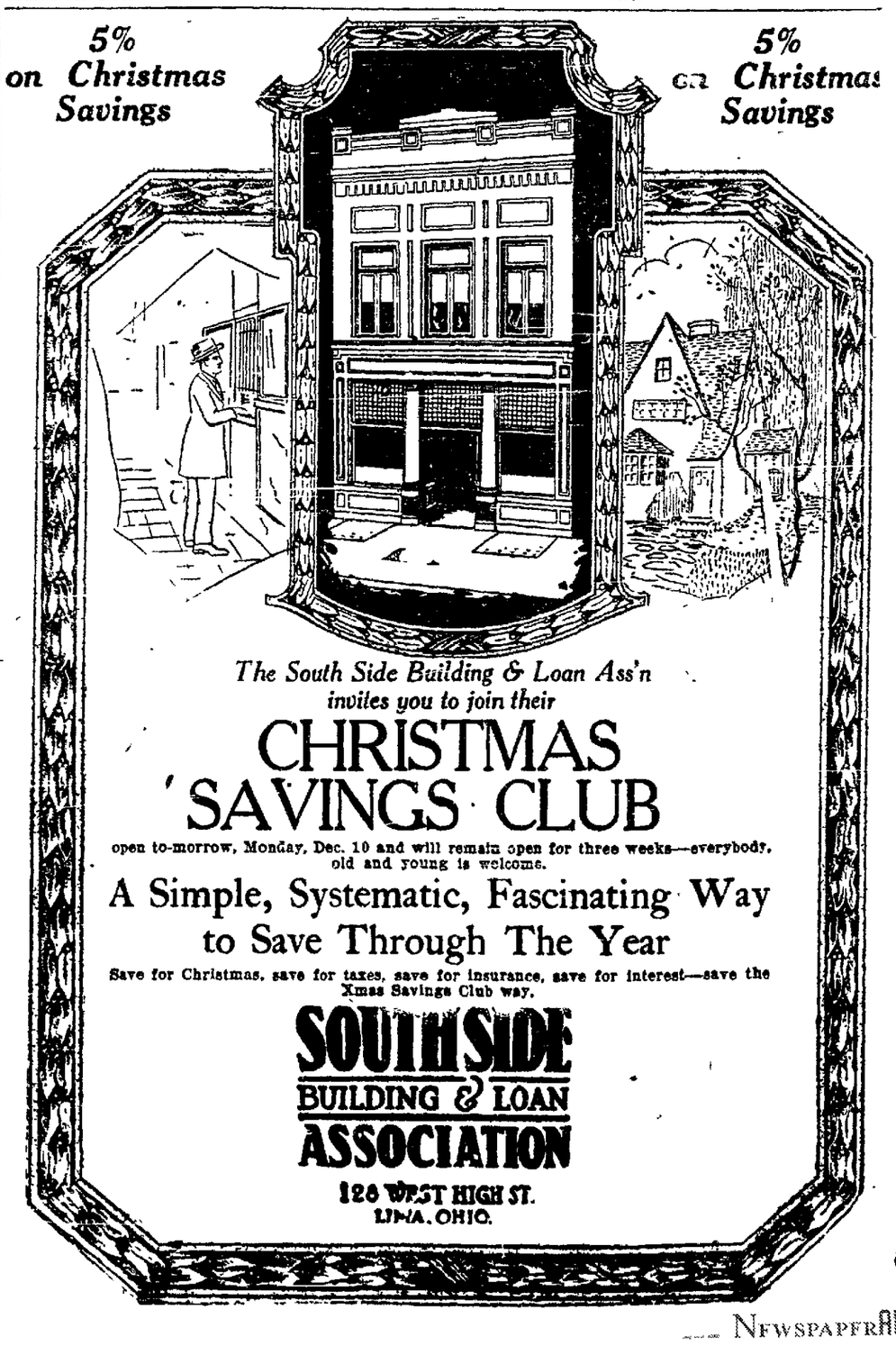

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open to-morrow, Monday, Dec. 10 and will remain open for three weeks—everybody, old and young is welcome.

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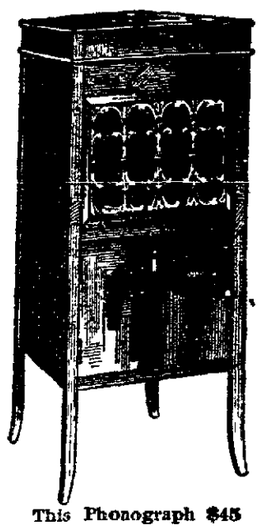

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Examine the finish—hear the rich, full tone—Remember, it is equipped with standard double motor and is fully guaranteed.

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The cheapest Console in our sale last year was $89.50 and it created a sensation. Yet here is one for $65 that is a marvel. Hear it. Study its beautiful lines.

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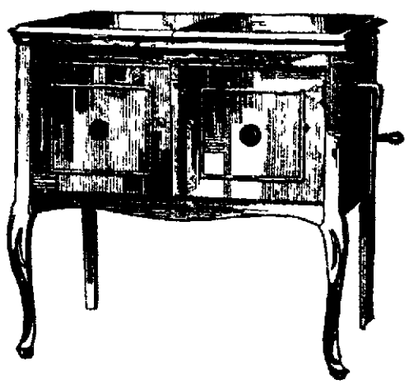
An instrument fine enough for any home, no matter how luxurious. If you have ever thought of having a phonograph see this. It is an example of finest cabinet making and is notable for its full, pure tone.



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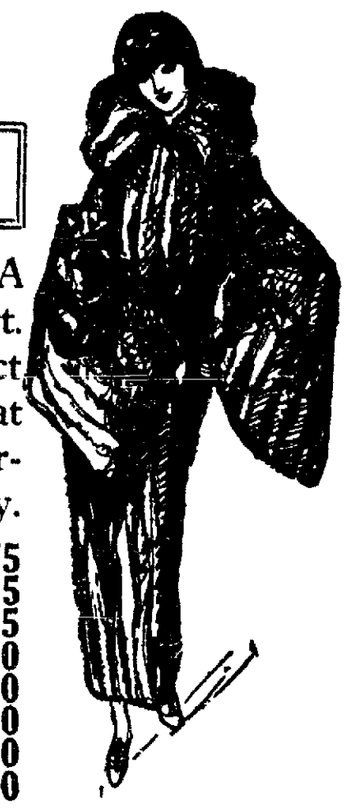
Our big assortment of Golconda Jewelry is now complete and ready for your inspection. This department shows a wide variety of pretty items, all neatly boxed for gifts. Make your purchases now while stock is at its best.

A Fur Coat Sale

Furs—For The Appreciated Gift



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Brown Coney Coats, 40 inch length, special	$29.75
Sealine Coats, 40 inches long. plain, special	$49.75
White Jacquettes in Ermine, Monkey fur trim, special	$59.75
Natural Opossum Coats, 40 inch length, special	$75.00
Sealine Coats, large Beaver collar and cuffs, special	$75.00
Handsome Sealine Coats, full length models, special	$99.00
Sealine Coats, full length, contrasting fur trimming, special	$125.00
Finest Quality Marmots and Sealines, full length, special	$150.00

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Handsome Winter Coats

Fur trimmed Coats of fine Silk Plush, Caracul, Bolivia, Novelty mixture, etc., Smart side flare, straightline—Loose or belted back—Large assortments in women's and misses' sizes $25

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$1.95

Before noon frocks, made of Gingham, Soisette, Crepe and Sateen, trimmed with applique, hem stitching, cut out work and piping, full showing of colors, sizes 36 to 46. So very low priced every woman may have several.

'Girls' Velvet Dresses

$6.75

Six very pretty styles for the misses aged 7 to 14. Colors in brown and navy crepe, embroidery and ribbon trimmed.

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Women's Silk Hose
With pleated ankle, Black and colors, a very fine hose for $1.50

Women's Muslin Gowns
Full cut, fine muslin, lace and embroidery trimmed, all boxed $2
Others $1 and $1.50

Children's Wool Gloves
Gauntlet wrist with embroidered design, Beaver and Tan, the pair $1.75

Turkish Towel Sets
Towel and two wash cloths, neatly boxed, a fine gift idea $1.50
Others 79c to $1.75

Silk Broadcloth Shirtings
Check and neat stripe patterns, also plain colors, in Christmas boxes, yard.. $2.25

Hand Painted Compacts
Beautiful containers filled with French Powder 50c
Double Compacts 75c-$1.25.

Women's Kerchiefs
3 in a box; a wonderful selection and most moderately priced 50c
Others 25c to $1.

Manicure Sets
A splendid selection awaits you, all high grade fittings, prices as low as $1.50
As high as $10.50.

Desk Sets
Comprise large blotting pad, ink well, opening knife, calendar, ink stand and hand blotter, special $4.75
Others to $9.50.

Women's Stamped Dresses
Fine grade linene, six pretty shades, very attractive designs 98c

Grocery Specials List

English Walnuts
New stock, No. 2 size, the pound 25c

Dot Chocolate
For dipping, half pound cake 23c

New Brazil Nuts— the pound 25c

Sun Maid Seedless Raisins
The package—
15c

Apple Butter
32 ounce glass jar—
30c

Order your Christmas Tree early
The supply is limited this year

Santa Claus Is Kept Hustling Greeting the Kiddies in Toyland

Ajax, the performing seal will amuse you daily in the Big Toyland display window. Toto, the juggling clown helps Santa Claus in Toyland and Santa will be there to take your name and toy list every day from 2 to 5 p. m.

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Metal body, finished in bright Red and Blue, very strongly built.

Genuine KIDDIE CAR
$2.25
Finish in Red and Ivory with rubber tire disc wheels that are roller bearing. Regularly priced $2.69.

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Fine for girls. Wonderwax, Crystal Beads, Pla Klay for modeling, Kolonit, Needle Kraft Cards, Wicker Basket Weaving, Patch Work, Quilt, etc.
$1 to $2.50

Packard Six CHILD'S AUTO
$13.50
$16.98 regular, disc wheels, roller bearing, no dead center gears, adjustable pedals, etc.

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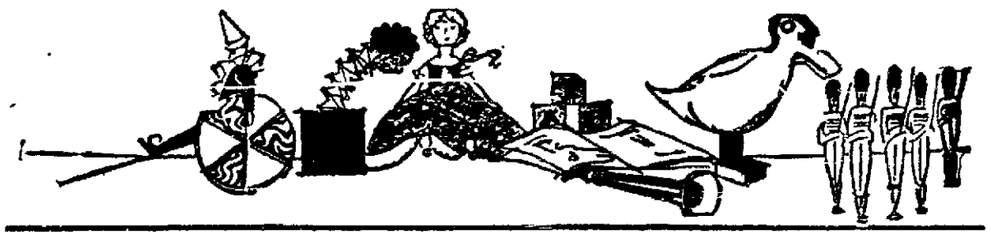

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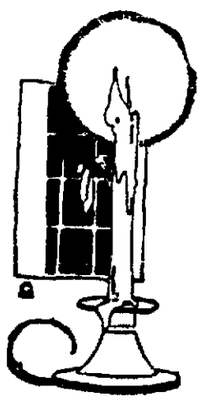
Chinese SEWING BASKETS
29c to $1.98
Decorated with tassels, rings and coins; a size for every use.

Glass Bottom SERVING TRAYS
98c
Mahogany finish, assorted designs, specially priced.

Lustre Finish TEA SETS
23 piece Japanese ware sets—
$16.98 to $29.75
29 piece Bavarian china and English ware sets, service for 8 people.
$23.75 to $27.50

Japanese TEA CUPS AND SAUCERS
$2.25
for set of 6, choice of 6 decorations. Specially priced.

Hand Decorated CANDLES
15c to $2.00
A varied assortment of beautifully decorated ones, also plain colors. Big Christmas selections.
Basement Gift Shop



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GLOVES
$1.25 to $4.50
Fine leathers, dressed and undressed, and mocha, silk and lisle.

NECKWEAR
50c to $2.00
Cut silk, silk knit, silk and wool and fibre.

MUFFLERS
$1.50 to $4.00
Silk, silk and wool, Angora and brush wool.

COMBINATION SETS
50c to $1.50
Suspenders and garters, arm bands in Christmas boxes.

BELTS AND BUCKLES
Genuine cowhide belts, plain or pin seal.
75c to $1.50

STERLING BUCKLES
In good designs—
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Silks, satins, broadcloth and fibre.

First Floor

SWEATERS and SWEATER VESTS
$2.50 to $8.50

TRAVELOS $6.75 to $10

LUGGAGE
Week End Cases—
$8 to $13.50
Fitted Cases $22 to $33

GLADSTONE CASES
$25 to $30

Handkerchiefs, 10c to $1.00
Cotton, linen, silk, colored borders; monogram and plain.

Wall Paper Specials

Have bright cheery walls in the home this Christmas. These Monday specials will cut the cost. We furnish paper hangers.

Kitchen and Hall Papers

Blocks, tile effects, two tone, stripes and figured designs, all desirable colors with borders to match, extra quality, the roll 4½c

BEDROOM PAPERS
7c
Floral stripes, satin stripes, bird designs and many others to choose from with dainty borders to match.

PARLOR AND LIVING ROOM PAPERS
14c
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NEW REVOLT IN G. O. P. NEAR

Stacking of House Committees Charged By Insurgents

MORE PLACES DEMANDED

Reorganization Row is Also Brewing in Senate

WASHINGTON — (Associated Press) — An opening threat of a fight on the floor of the house against what was characterized as the "stacking" of house committees by the Republican committee on committees was made Saturday by Representative Nelson, Wisconsin, leader of the Republican insurgents, who for two days blocked the reelection of Speaker Gillett.

Failure of the insurgents to obtain more places on the independent committees led to a forcast of another revolt against majority organization leaders. Nelson expressed surprise and indignation over the treatment which he said had been accorded his group in the makeup of the Republican committee slates and said the fight would be taken to the house when the selection made by the Republicans were presented for ratification, perhaps late next week.

SENATE FACES ROW

Republican insurgents in the senate reiterated Saturday the extent to which they would press a reorganiztion row in the senate would be determined largely by how they fared in committee assignments. Their course of action still is undecided pending announcement of the results of the work of the majority committee on committees.

This committee had two more sessions today, but members said its work was far from completed. Further sessions will be held tomorrow wtih the hope of having the whole slate completed in time for action b ythe Republican party conference called for Monday forenoon. The Democratic steering committee also will continue its meetings tomorrow with a view to having its committee assignments ready for senate action Monday.

HEFFNER WARNS MOTORISTS

Get Your Tags Now, Secretary of Auto Club Says

Get your 1924 tags, if you expect to operate the car after Jan. 1, is the advise given Allen-co motorists by James I. Heffner, secretary of the Lima Automobile club.

Less than 1,000 motorists have purchased their 1924 tags, according to Heffner. The club has approximately 13,000 license plates to dispose of between now and New Year's.

Heffner predicts there will be no extension of time after Jan. 1, and car owners who try to get by on their old tags are liable to be picked up.

With the large number to sell, the automobile club will be taxed to the limit to dispose of them. It takes an average of 20 minutes to sell a set of plates, and make out the accompanying papers, Heffner declares.

Club headquarters will be open for sale of license plates from 8 a. m. to 5 p. m. daily except Sunday. No license will be issued after 5 p. m.

"Get them right away," warns Heffner, "as we are going to be taxed to the limit to take care of everyone."

BUILDING PERMITS DROPS TO $42,475 FOR WEEK

Building operations during the week just closed were the lowest they have been in many months, figures obtainable at city hall Saturday afternoon revealed, the total for the week being $42,475.

Permit for the construction of the Buick garage at 512 W. Market-st brought the total up, as that permit carried a valuation of $30,000.

City hall records show that three permits for garages carrying a total cost of $375 were issued during the week while for new homes the permits totaled $8,800. Repairs, alterations and additions carried a total value during the week of $3,300, the record shows.

FORD REPAIRING 25% REDUCTION

Contract labor prices on Ford repairing has been reduced approximately 25 per cent by the Timmerman Motor Sales Co., 545 W. Market St. You know what the work will cost before it is begun. Phone Main 4713.

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VAN WERT NOTES

Abenaki tribe of Red Men of Van pppppppppppp etaoin etaoin shrdlu d Wert, have chosen new officers, as follows: M. F. Fowler, prophet; George Sells, sachem; Richard Shaffer, senoir sagamore; W. C. Fugate, junior sagamore; Arthur Kissel, chief of records; S. W. Shaffer, keeper of wampum; J. W. Leitner, trustee and representative to great council.

D. A. Clark is the only living charter member of the Van Wert tribe and was chief of records 50 years ago. He was honored at the meeting of the lodge at which officers were elected.

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The Van Wert merchants' fall selling campaign was so successful that $513.40 of the money raised to promote it has been refunded to its members. The total net income was $2,143.47 and the disbursements were $1,330.07.

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The funeral of Mrs. F. F. Buchanan of Willshire will be held Sunday afternoon, with burial in Willshire cemetery. Mrs. Buchanan was the wife of the Willshire undertaker and furniture dealer and died Thursday after a long sickness.

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Convoy high school basketball team has a schedule of 15 games this season. The first was played Friday night at home with Ridge high. The next will be with Haviland at Convoy, and the schedule will close with the team at Rockford March 14.

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Earl H. Slattery of Van Wert, wants to complete the sale of a fifth interest in a farm in Ridge-st and has started suit in common pleas court against himself, John P. Slattery, Clarence Hinbaugh, and Mary Louise Slattery as defendants. Plaintiff is administrator of the estate of Ellen T. Wade of Ridge-tp. Before her death, Ellen T. Wade sold the property involved to her brother, John P. Slattery, and received $1,300 on the deal, but no deed was given.

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Hearing of the divorce case of Waltz against Waltz has been set for Dec. 10 in common pleas court, and of the case of Ashbaugh against Ashbaugh for Dec. 15, by Judge Blachly.

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Partition of an 80-acre farm is asked in a petition filed in common pleas court by E. B. Close and others against W. B. Close and others. The farm is in Harrison-tp.

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T. J. Trippy has been named executor of the estate of the late Rachel Conkel by the probate court of Van Wert-co.

POSTAL FORCE FEELS CHRISTMAS MAIL RUSH

DELPHOS.—Parcel post and other mail business is about becoming so heavy at the Delphos postoffice that the regular carriers are delayed in making their rounds.

It is understood that extra clerks and carriers will be put on the week preceding Christmas, and that possibly a truck will be authorized by the postoffice department for the same period and until noon Christmas day.

Postmaster Truesdale has announced that the office will be closed at noon, Christmas, and that no deliveries will be made after that hour. His order will be made after that hour. His order joy at least half the day with their families and friends.

TWO ORDINANCES FACE DELPHOS COUNCIL TUESDAY

DELPHOS.—City council will have one, and possibly two, ordinances to wrestle with at its meeting next Tuesday night. One ordinance will authorize the mayor and city clerk to borrow about $8,500 in anticipation of December tax payments, the money to be used for salaries of officials and payment of bills due to Jan. 1, the end of the city's fiscal year.

The other ordinance, if it can be completed in time, will be the Fourth-st paving improvement assessing measure. The paving has been completed and in use the last two weeks, and City Surveyor Carl Simon was here from Van Wert, Thursday, in the interest of the ordinance as well as other city engineering business.

HALF OF CHRISTMAS SEAL QUOTA SOLD AT DELPHOS

DELPHOS.—With only a week of the Christmas seals compaign passed, the quota of 60,000 seals set for Delphos this year seems to be almost in sight. Cash in sum of $250 has been paid into the fund, the receipts from sale of 25,000 seals. Several committees have not made reports as yet, and the indications are that more than half the quota has been disposed of, with over two weeks of the campaign left.

WORKER KILLED

CANTON—Aaron D. Work, 27, a lineman employed by theOhio Power Co., was instantly killed late Saturday when he came in contact with a live wire while working on a transformer at the company's plant here. Work recently came to Canton from Millersburg.

BAZAAR BACKERS SWAMPED

Donors Force Hospital Women to Open Day Early

Response to the call for merchandise to be sold at the bazaar of the women's board of managers of the District Tuberculosis hospital has been so great it will be necessary to open the bazaar Friday noon, Mrs. Matilda Long, president, said Saturday.

It had been planned to conduct the bazaar Saturday only but when the call for merchandise, fancy work, candy and other goods was sent out, every section of the district responded with the result that two days will be required to dispose of it all.

This is the annual bazaar of the board and the money raised is to be used in the purchase of an X-ray instrument to be used in the treatment of tuberculasis at the hospital. The machine is now being installed and will be ready for use in a short time. It will cost $3,500, it is said.

Merchandise and supplies have been donated by merchants and citizens of Lima and Wapakoneta and have been promised by workers in New Knoxville, St. Marys, Sidney and Celina.

According to present plans the women will start Friday morning to place the room at 14 Public Square in readiness and the sale will start at noon. Meal will be served at noon and evening on both Friday and Saturday

Indications are, Mrs. Long said, that the receipts from the bazaar this year will be double those of last year when a new high record was established. All of the money received will be devoted to the work of the hospital.

It is believed by officials of the district hospital that the installation of the X-ray machine will make it possible for the same treatment to be given here as that to be found at Saranac Lake and other well-known tuberculosis treatment centers.

Lima members of the women's board are being assisted by members in other portions of the district, Mrs. Long said.

CITY EMPLOYES TO GET THEIR CHRISTMAS MONEY

Cheering Christmas news for city employes came Saturday afternoon from the office of City Auditor C. H. Churchill.

All salaries and wages of city employes due as of Dec. 15 will be paid in full, the city auditor said, as all funds have been put in condition to enable the city to give the employes their pay checks in full on that date.

LIMA-MADE COACH MIAMI BOUND

Florida Firms Order Superior Motor Coach Busses

The Superior Motor Coach Body Co., will ship one of the complete DeLuxe motor coaches to Miami, Fla., Monday to be used by Hollywood-By-The-Sea Real Estate Co. The coach, which is built on a White chassis and constructed to comply with Florida laws, will be shipped in a box car in its entirety.

An official of the company said this bus is the fifth to be sent to Miami, one of them having been ordered by the Hollywood Co., and the other four by companies operating private bus lines. One more bus will be sent to Miami in the near future.

The DeLuxe bus carries about 30 passengers and has a smoking compartment. It is one of the finest and most complete coach bodies in the country, company officials claim.

Many orders have been received for coach bodies especially is there a keen demand for DeLuxe and pay-as-you-enter bodies.

Samuel Siddell, district governor of Rotary, will address the Lima Rotarians at the luncheon meeting Monday at the Norval hotel.

GREAT CHRISTMAS SALE!

DIAMONDS

$25 $50

Amazing Values
Just In Time For Your Christmas Gift Giving!

Come here tomorrow expecting to see, in this wonderful assortment of genuine Diamond Rings, beautiful glittering gems—every one absolutely perfect in color with the brilliancy that is usually shown in much more expensive Diamonds. Each one is truly a picked gem! Diamond Rings such as these are will make you a wonderful ornament for a magnificent Christmas Gift. You will be surprised and delighted with the mountings—all the very latest effects in green gold, white gold and yellow gold—in all combinations.

Come in tomorrow and look at these Rings whether you want to buy or not.

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Diamonds! DIAMONDS!
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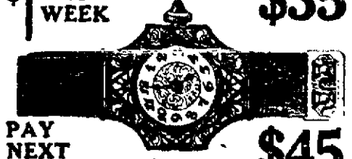
$75-$100

PAY NEXT YEAR $32.50

$1 A WEEK $22.50

PAY NEXT YEAR $29.50



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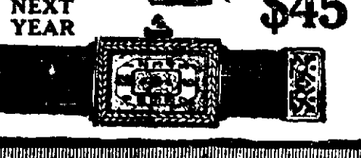

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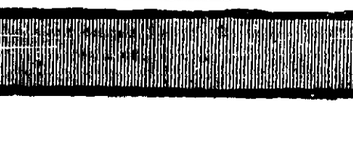

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A Few Great Values

15-jewel Rectangular Wrist Watches, 14-kt. solid white gold cases..$32.50
16-jewel Octagon Wrist Watches, 14-kt. solid white gold cases.....$29.50
17-jewel 14-kt. solid white gold Tonneau shape Wrist Watches...$38.50
15-jewel Square Wrist Watches, 14-kt. solid white gold..... ...$45.00
Rectangular Wrist Watches—25 year white gold filled cases.....$22.50
25 year yellow gold Oval Wrist Watches $27.50
18-kt. Novelty Square Wrist Watches with Diamond set on top.....$65.00
15-jewel Gladiola Shape Wrist Watches, 14-kt. solid white gold...$35.00

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WOMEN GET FARM BUREAU VOTE

Putnam-co Organization Holds Its Annual Meeting

OTTAWA — Women affiliated with the Putnam-co farm bureau were given the privilege of voting in the election held Saturday, at the annual meeting.

The right of women to vote was given by the adoption of an amendment to the constitution.

David E. Conn, of Leipsic, was re-elected president of the farm bureau. S. B. Troyer, of Continental, was elected vice president, to succeed P. A. Sasinger, of Columbus Grove. J. Ferde Gerdeman, of Ottawa, was made secretary, and, in place of William J. Riesman, of Greensburg-tp.

Women directors at large selected were Mrs. Howard Ash, of Continental, re-elected, Mrs. Samuel Weaver, of Leipsic, and Mrs. Anna Bensman, of Kalida.

H. C. Ramsower, of Columbus, director of extension work of Ohio State university, was the speaker of the day.

Ramsower said that what is most needed is more efficient forming by producing more efficient selling. Co-operative farming begins at home, right in the barnyard of the farmer, he argued.

Ramsower said the day of the farmer who doesn't know and take chances has passed and that the wide-awake man is able to command $3 or $4 a head extra on his lambs and cattle over the man who sells and takes any kind of chances.

He told of how in one co-operative shipping stockyard a trained hand is laid on the back of a lamb and the person can tell just what kind of a lamb is being sold.

He said the farmer back home should know about his lamb in the same way the trained person does, to sell on the market advantageously.

He recommended use of farm accounting, good homes, good surroundings to keep the boys and girls on the farm, shrubbery and flowers, good roads, education akin to that of city children and automobiles to enlarge their acquaintance and provide experience of a wide world such as the city boy or girl enjoys.

Ramsower predicted the work done by Putnam-co boys and girls in clubs has only just begun and that more and better work must be done.

ATTORNEYS GET $2,500 EACH ON SHANK CASE UNDER COURT'S DECREE

OTTAWA —It will cost the tax-payers of Putnam-co the amount of $2,500 for legal counsel to try Charles Shank, triple murderer, in November, for the slaying of his youthful sweetheart Miss Olivia Tenwalde, her mother, Mrs. William Tenwalde and her cousin, Lawrence Tenwalde.

That sum of money was granted by Judge E. R. Eastman, in a decision handed down on the criminal docket in the three cases pending against Shank.

John T. DeFord, of Ottawa, chief counsel for Shank, and his assistant, George Fritz, also of Ottawa, were given $1,000 for defending Shank during the trial for the killing of Mrs. Tenwalde. The judge on his minutes, designated this amount to be given to both

In the case in which Shank was charged in indictments returned by the October grand jury with the killing of Olivia Tenwalde and to which Shank pleaded guilty, after the jury had returned a verdict of second degree murder of Mrs. Tenwalde. DeFord and Fritz each were given $250.

In the case of the killing of Lawrence Tenwalde; each were given an additional $250.

B. A. Unverferth, of Ottawa, who assisted Prosecutor Julius S. Ogan in the prosecution of Shank, was allowed the amount of $500.

The bills will be acted upon by county commissioners Monday.

Conservative estimates placed by county officials and lawyers on the amount the cost o fthe trial will entail, set the figures at approximately $8,000.

PUTNAM-CO MARRIAGES

OTTAWA.—Marriage licenses were issued Friday and Saturday in probate court to the following:

Oliver D. Shafer, 35, postal clerk, of Findlay, and Miss Mae Donaldson, 30, housekeeper, of Leipsic. Rev. Fred Imehart, of Mount Blanchard, to officiate.

Lawrence Rankey, 27, of Leipsic, and Miss Florence Schey, 23, housekeeper, of Liberty-tp.

Frank M. Miller, 38, laborer, of Roughnsville, and Mrs. Ethel M. Price, housekeeper, of Columbus Grove.

$500 DAMAGES ASKED

OTTAWA.—Damages in the sum of $500 are asked of J. J. Kissell, poultry dealer, of Columbus Grove, in an action filed in common pleas court by Henry Grubenhoff, farmer, of southwestern Putnam-ca. In the petition Grubenhoff says that the Dort automobile he was driving was struck by a truck, operated by L. Bushong, employe of Kissell, on the Rimer-Roughnsville-rd in August, 1923, and that his automobile was upset and wrecked.

MARRIAGES FALL OFF

OTTAWA — Ten marriage licenses were issued here during November as compared with 20 for November last year. Only two divorce suits were instituted in the county last month.

GLANDORF LOSES.

GLANDORF.—The High school basketball team lost to Blanchard-tp High school here Friday night, 19 to 18.

LEIPSIC.—David Conn, president of the Putnam-co farm bureau, will go to Chicago next week, where during the first three days he will attend the sessions of the American Farm Bureau Federation. Conn is the accredited delegate from Putnam-co.

BOARD OF COMMERCE WILL VOTE ON LARGER EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Provision for enlargement of the membership of the executive committee of the Board of Commerce will be asked at the annual meeting of the board membership, which will be held January 8, Secretary J. E. Morton of the board announces.

To accomplish this the members will be asked to vote for an amendment to Section 1, Article 4 of the by-laws so as to provide that the board of directors shall elect not less than 10 nor more than 15 members of the chamber as an executive committee to serve with full power.

This amendment is asked, Morton said, because of "a feeling that it would facilitate the matter to have a larger number of lines represented in the executive committee, which would provide a better representation from the cross section of the community business life."

Officers of the board are confident the proposed amendment will be accepted by the members at their annual meeting.

SCHOOLS HIT BY CRABBE RULING

Several County Boards Must Practice Economy

Number of rural school districts in Allen-co will be more or less affected by the recent ruling of Attorney General C. C. Crabbe which forbids school districts in the state, rural, village and city, borrowing money in anticipation of funds to be received. Borrowing in advance of the so-called February tax settlement, which has been a common practice with numerous school boards thruout the state, is barred by the new ruling.

"At least six school districts will be vitally affected by the new ruling," County School Superintendent C. A. Arganbright declared Saturday. Heretofore it has been the practice of these boards in Allen-co to borrow money in order to meet current expenses such as tuition and supplies.

"Because of the fact that Vernon P. Riegel states that neither the teachers' salaries shall be reduced or school sesssions shortened, school districts will have to inaugurate a system of economy and cut out unnecessary expenses," Arganbright said.

Ruling of Attorney General Crabbe will not affect school districts that operate on a cash basis and within prescribed incomes.

PAGE ORGAN COMPANY INVENTS NEW DEVICE

Organs that are operated entirely by mechanical device are being manufactured by the Page Co., of Lima. Since the establishment of the plant in Lima six months ago, 12 organs have been shipped to points over the country. Both church and theatre organs are being constructed.

The mechanically-operated organ is operated by means of a push button by the operator in the projecting room. The new organ is made possible by a patented invention that utilizes an ordinary player-piano roll for the pipe organ. The organs hold four rolls of music and by means of pressing certain buttons different kinds of music from lively pieces to pathos can be played.

OTTAWA SOCIETY

Miss Alice Sifker was hostess to a company of young misses, Monday, in honor of her birthday anniversary. Music, games and contests were enjoyed. Winners of the trphys in the contests were Frances Landwehr, Adelia Wehinger and Katherine Ferrall.

A delicious luncheon was served. In the party were the Misses Norma and Lucile Beutler, Lucile and Alvera Westbeld, Katherine Ferrall, Eleanor Gerding, Frances Landwehr, Lenore Kerner, Adelia Wehinger, Frances Missler, Mary Klinedinst, Donelda Kohls, Elizabeth Kolhoff and Catherine and Dorothy Doepker.

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The class of matrons and young misses, who are engaged in the study of French, held a meeting, Friday night, at the home of Mrs. George J. Keinath. The class will meet at Mrs. Keinath's home again next Friday night.

OTTAWA HIGH WINS

OTTAWA:—Ottawa high school Basketball team won its first game Friday night from Gomer High, 37 to 32.

DAUGHTER BORN

OTTAWA.—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kimmel announce the birth of a daughter, Bernadine Louise, into their home.

GETS LIFE CERTIFICAE

COLUMBUS GROVE.—Miss Mary Beckwith, teacher of the sixth grade in the Columbus Grove public schools, has been granted a common school life certificate, upon recommendation of Supt. George J. Keinath.

EXAMS SET FOR DEC. 17.

OTAWA. — Examinations at the close of the first semester of school in the rural districts will be held the week of Dec. 17. Pupils will enjoy a vacation the week in which Christmas occurs.

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Bronco Rider Boys! Dick Prescott Books! Dorothy Dale Series! Campfire Girls! Ruth Fielding Books! Boy Scout Books! Radio Boys! And loads and loads of others!

$1.50 Genuine Kiddie Kar

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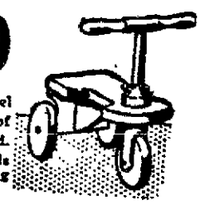

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Chamois Suede Gauntlets

$1.69 pair

Gloves are ever a necessity to women and these fancy trimmed gauntlets will make Christmas morn a pleasure for her. In all leading shades.

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Crepe de Chine Envelope Chemise

$2.45

These "teddies" will please her immensely. Of flesh colored silk crepe de chine—ribbon trimmed.

—Second Floor

Our $1.25 Toy Trains

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Large cast-iron Locomotive, tender and coach that stick to the rails. With large circular track.

DOLL DRESSERS

In white and ivory. Has two or three drawers with swing mirror top. Another model with rigid mirror. $1.67

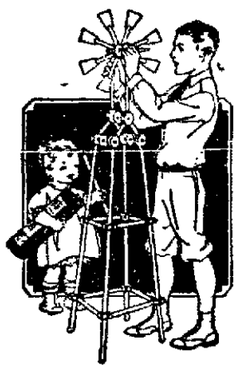
8-Key Piano

Regular $1.00

78c

Rosewood finished piano, decorated with embossed figures in gold. Strong construction and good tone.

75c Tinker Toys



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The Wonder Builder! The toy with which you can build a thousand different moving figures.

$4.00 Cedar Chest

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Large Ma Ma Dolls

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Pretty Hose! Brings A Smile of Pleasure!!

Full Fashioned Silk Hose $1.39

Heavy ingrain silk—of a quality most pleasing to women. A gift sure to give great pleasure.

All Pure Silk Hose, Pair $2.50

Silk from top to toe. Also in full fashioned pure thread silk with lisle tops. All leading shades—packed in pretty Christmas boxes.

Main Floor

Monday One-Hour Sale

FROM 9 TO 10 O'CLOCK!

18 Wool Dresses

WERE $15!

Navy blue wool dresses in the wanted colored braid trimming! Sizes 16-18-36 and 38 only! For one hour—from 9 to 10!

$5

Our Sensational Sale of Frocks

Ends Monday Night!

At The Sensational Price of

$11

For Dresses That Look Like $35!

As we announced on the opening day of the sale—these dresses are the entire stock of a prominent New York dress manufacturer who went out of business! The value was so outstanding that we took immediate advantage of his low price! Hundreds of Lima women agree with us that this is the greatest value of this season! Prepare to be here early tomorrow—it is worth your time!

—Second Floor

He'll Greet These Gifts With a Happy Smile

Madras Shirts! Winners!

Men never have too many! These are silk striped madras shirts in large selection of neat patterns—all fast color! $1.69

Brushed Wool Mufflers! Special!

95c

These are in pleasing patterns, the right length and in good assortment of nice colors.

Men's All Silk Neckties!

65c

Rack-full of ties for him! So many pretty patterns and colors! And reduced in price!

Pongee Silk Handkerchiefs, 25c

Have these gifts READY now! Good size, with narrow hem—in tancolor. A table-full!

Men's Sox! Wooly and Warm!

50c pr.

These are the Bear Brand hose for dress wear. Any man would like a half dozen!

Belts! With Initial Buckle!

$2.95

Hickok Belts! He knows their worth! Comes in Xmas box! All initials!

Men's India Umbrellas, $3.95

A man's umbrella! Has a large spread and is guaranteed to be absolutely rainproof!

A Few Happy Gift Suggestions!

Silver Plated Bon Bon Dish, $1.19

Finely finished silver plated bon bon dish, with or without handle—gold finished inside, perforated on edge.

Floor Lamps Complete, $12.95

Full size wood base, mahogany finish, 2 light chain pull sockets, 24 inch silk shades.

For Women!

Moccasin Slippers - Ribbon trimmed with heavy padded elk soles, lamb's wool insoles ... 98c

Juliet Slippers - Ribbon, plush or fur trimmed. Leather soles, some with rubber heels $1.47

Boudoir Slippers - Quilted satin with padded elk or leather soles $1.97

Three-Piece Amber Toilet Sets $16.45

Beautifully decorated large hand mirror, brush and comb in satin lined box.

SILK UMBRELLAS $3.98

All silk umbrellas in navy, green, purple and black with novelty strap and ring handles—were $5.00.

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BUSINESS CONDITIONS

CONTINUED upward tendency of the stock market and decided firmness of bonds, made optimism the key note of financial houses during the week.

The President's message was thoroly satisfactory to business, endorsing as it did, Secretary Mellon's proposal for lower income taxes. While the Bonus Bill for soldiers of the world war is still a popular measure, the fact that nineteen states have already given their soldiers a bonus from the state treasury, puts a different angle upon this measure which if passed, may bring new inflation of living costs.

November shows the biggest automobile output of the year, cotton continues to soar, crude oil production has been curtailed, and Europe is in better economic condition, and worse political condition. The electon in Great Britain was a set back for the present government, and defeat of the Conservatives means the early resignation of Premier Stanley Baldwin. This election also banishes any thought of tariff for the British isles as proposed by the Baldwin cabinet. The revamping of the German cabinet promises a settlement of difficulties in the Ruhr, and a return of German workmen to the mines and railroads.

Nationally, conditions are bright for the new year. Money is becoming cheaper which means expansion where needed. Employment shows very little decline, despite the season. Building outlook for next year is greater than for this.

Retail trade has been dull in the middle west, caused by warm weather and much rain, making shopping difficult. Locally, there is little change at the factories, and no fears of any shut downs to come.

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A VEXATIOUS QUESTION

LONG has it been said, and generally adopted as a truth that "nothing is certain save death and taxation." Like the poor, the taxation question is with us always. However, the light appears to be breaking, and unless the determination of men of vision goes awry ,there may come a day when this question will no longer be a vexatious one.

In fact, the dawn appears to be breaking. During the pre-election campaign, when various organizations in Ohio, working hand in hand, succeeded in stirring up sentiment to such a pitch that the Taft and Albaugh laws were done to death when the ballots were cast, it was promised that these same agencies would immediately endeavor to shape a workable program for the relief conceded on all sides to be necessary, if Ohio is to be enabled to hold up its head and say with honesty that justice in taxation has at last been established.

Heretofore, the question has been a political football, to be kicked about indiscriminately at the will of party leaders, with special interests to be favored always, while those least able to bear the burden have had their obligations increased. It is now proposed to carry into effect the expressed wishes of the people, evidenced by the emphatic manner in which they repudiated the proposal to increase taxes.

First is a demand that economy be practiced in the transaction of the public business, and that there be made a change in the system of taxation which will reach the great items of wealth that now contribute nothing to the cost of government. A citizens' conference is to be held at Columbus, January 16-17, in which will be discussed a proposal for the adoption of the "Indiana plan" for the control of levies and bond issues, re-enactment of the home rule law, strict adherence to the Griswold debt limitation law and the return of a portion of the revenue from indirect taxation to the local taxing units. 'Twill open the question, at any rate.

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CONCERTED ACTION

LEATHER makers have banded together and are conducting a big advertising campaign with the slogan: "Nothing takes the place of leather."

These ads are signed, not by any individual firm, but by the national organization of leather tanners

Tanners used to fight each other to get as big a share as possible of the business available. Now confronted by a rapidly increasing use of leather substitutes, they find it wise to band together, bury the ax, and unite against the common enemy—substitutes.

This leather campaign is typical of a decided change that is taking place in advertising and general salesmanship. For instance, you see an ad, put out by cement makers united, insisting that concrete is the ideal building material. You turn a page and find a similar claim for wood. Another page, and the same plea is advanced in behalf of brick.

These ads are signed by groups of manufacturers, or by organizations that include a whole trade or industry.

Many other commodities are being advertised the same way—California oranges, raisins and even public utilities like electricty.

This new era in advertising is partly due to a united effort, in a given industry, to combat competition from the product of a separate and distinct industry—brick versus wood, for instance.

Again, manufacturers and other producers are beginning to see that, by united advertising, they can create a much larger demand for their common product, with the result that there'll be more business to divide among themselves. On the simple principle that two pies go further among four boys than one pie.

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SILLY GIRLS

IS a silly girl more popular than the intelligent girl? This momentous question (don't be too sure it isn't momentous) was discussed recently by young ladies at University of Chicago.

There's a popularly accepted belief that a frivolous girl is more attractive to men than a girl inclined to discuss the Einstein Theory in preference to the latest movie sensation. This belief, of course, is based on the supposition that men seek the company of women during leisure hours when they want companionship that'll be a complete change from the monotony of humdrum business.

A frivolous beauty undoubtedly is more alluring than a homely highbrow. Beauty compensates considerably for ivory brain. But an intelligent beauty has the field to herself, a combination supreme. And deliver us from a homely woman who's also silly.

The final answer, of course, is in the law that water isn't the only thing that seeks its own level. Personality and intelligence also seek their own level.

The appeal of the so-called silly type of femininity is mainly to the silly type of man. The intelligent girl appeals primarily to intelligent men.

The law slips a cog frequently, when the leading actor wants to gratify personal vanity by comparison. For instance, a beautiful woman can get a thrill by associating with women of lesser charms and observing her superiority in this particular. So with mentality, there's a natural elation and satisfaction when any one discovers that his brain power is superior to his associates'.

Such is the psychology of the intelligent man attracted to the "nobody home" type of feminine beauty. He's gratifying his vanity, rather than worshiping the girl.

Our associates are mirrors in which we can see our own images, like attracting like—or our own weaknesses, like attracting unlike, to gratify vanity.

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FRANCE IS WISE

FRANCE continues selling more to Great Britain than she buys in return. Each month finds France 80 million francs "to the good" when she balances her books in the matter of trade with the British.

This trade advantage has its political side. French diplomats are great emotional actors. But they're sensible enough to do a lot of thinking before breaking with their best customer.

BOYS WILL BE BOYS

JUST FOLKS

BY EDGAR A. GUEST

MERCY

A man was hurt! The traffic stopped,
Their tools the nearby workmen dropped,
The rush of countless eager feet
Halted that moment on the street.
Rich man and poor and every creed
Hastened to serve a stranger's need.

That he was ragged mattered not,
That he was foreign was forgot;
Men who'd have spurned his visage grim,
Now gave their best to comfort him.
A Jewish Rabbi spoke a prayer
And gave a Gentile holy care.

In the Great Presence after all
Our differences fade and fall.
Him who we now pretend to scorn
We fly to, pale and hurt and torn;
We stoop to stay the wounds which bleed,
For mercy knows not rank or creed.

Perhaps our differences are small,
And we are brothers, after all,
Never shall one in danger cry
And fail to halt the passer-by;
Hatred and bigotry depart
When mercy opens wide the heart.

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BEST LAXATIVE FOR BOWELS

If Headachy, Bilious, Sick, Constipated

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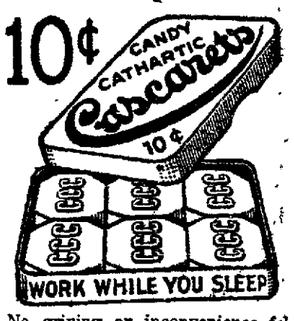

No griping or inconvenience follows a gentle liver and bowel cleansing with "Cascarets." Sick Headache, Biliousness, Gases, Indigestion, and all such distress gone by morning. Most harmless laxative for Men, Women and Children—10c boxes, also 25 and 50c sizes, any drug store. adv

LIMA NEWS HEALTH SERVICE

Signed letters pertaining to personal health and hygiene, not to disease diagnosis or treatment, will be answered by Dr. Brady if a stamped, self-addressed envelope is enclosed. Letters should be brief, and written in ink. Address letters to Dr. William Brady, care of The News.

BY DR. WILLIAM BRADY

CAUGHT IN COLD

One day near the end of November, a Kentucky woman started on a railroad journey of about an hour. She sat in the waiting room at the depot half an hour. It was a cold day, with a stiff wind blowing. The waiting room was unheated. The woman felt chilly and shivered. By and bye the train came along and she boarded it. The coach was unheated and the windows were open. The woman felt chilly and shivered some more on the train. When she alighted at the end of her little journey she was sneezing and she later testified, suffering from the effects of a cold, whatever that may be. This cold, she and her witness were able to establish subsequently to the satisfaction of the court, soon "developed into grip" and the woman was confined to her bed with grip for six weeks.

She obtained a judgment for $700 damages against the director general of railroads (it happened in 1918,) but an appeal was taken, for tthe railroad people argued that there was at the time an epidemic of influenza—that was the reason they had the coach windows open—and they argued that the woman had simply contracted a germ disease shortly before she began her journey, that this germ disease (influenza or grip) was not caused by exposure, and anyway there was a reasonable doubt whether the patient had suffered from influenza for which the railroad could not be held responsible, or a cold which might have been caused by the railroad's negligence.

Railroad attorneys are usually shrewd men, but in this case they apparently overlooked an opportunity to place upon the woman's shoulders the burden of proving that such exposure as she met in the unheated waiting room and the unheated coach could cause any illness whatever. The woman would have a hard time proving that, because it isn't so. The Kentucky court of appeals, however, just assumes that it is so, without any proof at all, just hearsay or fancy. The court held, in affirming the judgment, that "it is a matter of common knowledge that colds may be easily contracted under conditions such as described," by the woman who sought damages. The court could have assumed similarly fanciful notion is to yellow fever 30 years ago; then it was "a matter of common knowledge," that yellow fever was a contagious disease; so certain were the benighted people of the contagiousness of the disease that they generally establish shotgun quarantine around communities where the disease appeared. But we know now that the people were sadly mistaken about that, for yellow fever can be spread only thru the carrier agency of the Stegomyia breed of mosquito, which agent has no respect for shotguns or the complacent delusions of the law.

"The uncontradicted evidence," pursues the court, "showed that the plaintiff did contract such a cold on this journey, and that her sickness followed." Whether the woman's illness was "grip," influenza or any of the other respiratory diseases which masquerade under this all enveloping title of "cold" (until the doctor can get some idea just what ails the patient really,) the period of incubation, less than half an hour was certainly unique in medical annals.

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A Thought

The race is not to the swift, nor the battle to the strong—Ecl. 9:11.

When we leave this world and are laid in the earth, the prince walks as narrow a path as the day laborer.—Cervantes.

You Are Only As Old As You Feel

New Invigorator—The Extract of An "African Bark," Said to Supercede "Gland" Operations in Restoring "Pep" and Vitality of Youth

Have you lost your old-time "pep," vigor and vitality? Even though apparently well, are you "draggy," worn out, mentally tired, sleepless, nervous, depressed?—in other words, "out of tune" with life and living?

Don't worry! Science has produced a new formula, which is acclaimed to be superior even to the much discussed "gland" operations. The principal ingredient of this truly great discovery is contained in the extract from the bark of an African tree. Combined with it are other proven and efficient tonic and vitalizing elements.

Re-Bild Tabs is the trade name of this new addition to medical science which are intended to act direct on the ductless (endocrine) glands, and stimulate and build up the real life forces. These pleasant, tasteless tablets are taken after meals in the privacy of your home or office.

Within a short time, records show greatly increased vitality, improved appetite, better circulation and a new glow of health in every part.

Re-Bild Tabs are rapidly being placed within the reach of all. The manufacturers are now making a Special Introductory Offer in this city, and have authorized the Enterprise Drug Store to sell you Re-Bild Tabs for only $2.00 a box—on a money-back guarantee of pronounced results—even in a short time. If more convenient, you may order direct from The Bayne Co., Kansas City, Mo. Same guarantee applies. adv

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'ROUND LIMA HOUR BY HOUR

WITH APOLOGIES

By OH, OH, JACKENRIM

A Page from the Diary of An Antiquated Reporter: (25 YEARS AGO)—Lay late abed, to the bright welcome of a warning sun, thru the pulled down amber shades. Out, and to Sherman Davis' for cakes and a pot of Java. Thither away to the shoppe, bowing in fyne friendliness to Van B. Winters. Stopped for a manicure with Henry Edwards, and thence to the High-st. Bot a San Felice a. Melville's tobacconery and met there Fred Thomas, the banker and Harry Moore.

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In the sanctum, assigned the marriage of a fair West Market-st. society belle. And a club meet at the home of Mrs. James O. Ohler. Came Dexter Fellows, press agent of Buffalo Bill, showing at the Elm-st. grounds two weeks hence. We chatted awhile and to The Mint for tea Acting, Captain Hugh Patton just reporting. Supt of Schools C. C. Miller on his way to the summer Institute. They are talking nowaday of building a new water reservoir in Bath-tp. Here's Harry Ashton, of the Machine Works on East Market. And J. J. Ewing, the horse lover. Ote Wilson has a new entry for the matinee races next week.

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To the court house Probate Judge Robb handing me a bunch of divorce cases, on which everything is charged from affinities to escape from prison. Gosh! I didn't think that woman would do what the petition says she did. And the prettiest, daintiest thing I ever did see Come to think of it, she was dining at "King's" the other night, with a gay Buckeye Pipe Lothario.

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Waved to Sheriff Aaron Fisher. They say Uncle Tommie Jones may run for county treasurer and George Feltz for auditor. Here comes Vernie Kibby, the banker. I am going up to St. Rose Sunday to hear Mrs. Winifred Sullivan Romer in solo. There goes Dr. S. B. Hiner, president and father of the new City Hospital movement. The discourse is that they may take the big brick near the bridge on East Market. Where Ollie and Pearl Grafton now live.

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In the evening dined at The Cambridge, with Charlie Mooney, Frank Black, and Skeets Boone. Then we got Baldy's hack and out for a serenade. Marth Agerter threw out a half a cake, food for the dogs, methinks.

On Market saw Fred Aiken, the oil king, and Dr. Jonathan Vail, the famous practitioner. Back to the newspaper shoppe and thence to a wedding at Sol Weisenthal's mansion on Elizabeth-st. And a bit of supper they gave me sweetened by a bottle of Mumm's.

So, late to bed, but before sunrise. We are now working four hand compositors, and making the last run promptly at 5 a. m.

ABE MARTIN

If "taxpayer" got paid fer his newspaper articles he wouldn' have t' worry about taxes. College girls' hats hain't gittin' bigger, they're only tyin' 'em more tops.

THIS LITTLE WORLD

CHICAGO

(BY GEORGE BRITT

CHICAGO — (Special) —"Pretty nice to retire and take it easy," volunteers a lunch-counter waitress with a sarcastic glance out the window. "Maybe some day I can sit back like those gentlemen and watch the world go by."

Her glance is aimed at the second-story windows of a ramshackle building across the street, where the Loop has frazzled out at its south

edge On the upper window-panes white letters announce $1 50 to $3 a week." Behind the windows peer out faces of disappointed, misfit, shiftless men. Cold weather has driven them from the parks to the cheap flop houses.

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There's a "want ad line" at the back door of a big Chicago afternoon newspaper which offers a striking parallel to a bread line. It forms about 9 a. m., when the first street edition comes off. Members of the line, running into nearly a hundred on busy days, grab the papers still warm and damp and paw over them for news of "Help Wanted, Male." Then begins a rush, by telephone or in person, to apply for the jobs.

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For thirty years C M Baker, general superintendent of the Postal Telegraph Company, has made his home in the same room of a south shore hotel During all that time he has eaten regularly in the hotel dining room at the same table. The hotel just revealed the story by giving Mr. Baker a birthday dinner.

What impressions does one remember from a familiar and oft-repeated experience? Here is one answer to that question as applied to the elevated train ride from Jackson Park to the far edge of the city at Howard street:

The White City, a tower of sparkling lights by night and a gateway shadowed by giant punch-and-judy figures by day; junk heaps in Wabash avenue back yards, particularly the automobile discard heap from which a dozen battered tin-lizzy bodies have been tossed to a neighboring roof; an advertising clock aimed at "L" passengers, at a sharp turn just before reaching the Loop; conductors on Loop platforms who shout, invariably, "Evingston Express"; the river crossing, where everyone stops reading the paper and looks out; furniture displays in second-story windows, facing the Belmont avenue platform; countless chop suey signs at Wilson avenue (chop suey must be the sole diet of persons living there); the collectors of extra fare at Howard street, brusque men with jingling registering machines in their belts, always in a hurry, forever boarding cars but never going anywhere.

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The week after his first trip to Lincoln Park zoo, a youngster was taken by his mother into the awesome new interior of one of Chicago's

handsomest banks The barred windows of the tellers caught his eye.

"Lift me up," he commanded. "I want to see the monkeys.

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TRAIL'S END NEAR IN DOPE CHASE

U. S. Court Tuesday to Examine Alleged Tool Taken Here

LIMA POLICE WILL APPEAR

Two-Year-Old Sensation Back in Legal Limelight

Closing scenes in the dramas 'dope' ring disclosures which two years ago shook Lima and the little town of Mt. Victory, six miles south of Kenton, will begin Tuesday in Toledo federal court, according to appearance summons received here last week by Police Sergeant McCoy and Detective Inspector Kipker.

Harry Tapp, 35, grain elevator operator of Mt. Victory, is to appear in court for examination; Frances Durbin, his attorney announced Saturday.

Startling disclosures of Lima as the shipping center of a nation-wide ring startled this city two years ago and in the ensuing crusade by federal narcotic authorities the tenacles of the law gripped the little town of Mt Victory.

SIX UNDER SUSPICION

Six persons, one a woman, were searched with suspicion as the culmination of operations by E. H. Staley, who was at that time federal narcotic inspector of this district. Those arrested were:

Dr. J. J. Boone, banker, druggist and physician.

Dr. and Mrs. B. A. Martin.

Harry Tapp, grain elevator operator.

Dr. O. C. Pettiford, Kenton.

Dr. C. A. Trapkey, Hardin-co veterinary, who escaped at the time, was captured in Toledo two months ago after search of nearly two years.

Harry Tapp, alleged dupe for the accused brains of the dope ring, fell first into police clutches. He was arrested on the afternoon of Nov 21, 1921, when he applied at the American Express Co. office for three boxes of express from St. Louis to the Martin Co., in care of Normie Mitchell, Lima.

CALLED FOR FRIEND

Tapp denied his guilt. He said he was ignorant of the contents of the boxes, declaring he called at the office upon request of a friend.

The "dope" was discovered before Tapp's arrest. Express Manager G. S. Wilsey "smelled a rat" when express was consigned to "fictitious firm He opened the boxes and nearly $100,000 worth of morphine and cocaine was found, weighing 173 pounds.

Wilsey placed the dope in a vault at the First National bank. Federal and local authorities armed with riot guns watched the express office to avert a possible attempted robbery.

About 5 p. m. on Nov. 21 Harry Tapp walked into the express office and inquired for the shipment Cashier Harry Nagel was in charge. He told Tapp the shipment was at the B. & O. passenger station.

Tapp and Nagel proceeded there. Warning to Wilsey was flashed by Nagel and Tapp was arrested.

Rentless search by federal narcotic officers followed. The little town of Mt. Victor was the center of the raid: Officers swooped down and arrested five of the most prominent persons in the town.

RELENTLESS PURSUIT

Dr. Boone was first taken. Then Dr. and Mrs. Martin, Dr. O. C. Pettiford was the last trapped then. Dr. Trapkey, forewarned, escaped the officers. Rentless pursuit was continued and two months ago the fugitive was captured in Toledo.

All but Tapp were indicted by the federal grand jury and placed under $10,000 bail each, it was announced Saturday.

Disclosures which may weave a web of evidence against the others of the "ring" are looked for in Toledo next Tuesday. Supposition is that Tapp may provide the grand jury with the few missing links in the chain of evidence already linked against those indicted.

Sergeant McCoy and Detective Kipker will leave Lima Monday night. Francis Durbin, attorney for Tapp, will not be present in federal court as counsel has no right to participate in indictment proceedings, he announced Saturday.

COUNTY TEACHERS TO MEET

Dr. C. C. Kohl, professor of history of state normal college, Bowling Green, will address teachers of Allen-co rural schools at the quarterly meeting to be held at Memorial hall next Saturday. His topic will be "Teaching in a Democracy." About 130 teachers are expected to be present.

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THIRD DOOR SOUTH OF POST OFFICE

DOG LICENSE SALE BEGINS MONDAY

Sheriff Lays Plans to Wind Up Those Not Tagged

Pity the poor dog, whose master will not buy him a license tag. County authorities are after him again. The annual drive to collect dog license money is on.

County Auditor C. R. Phillips will commence sale of dog tags Monday, and hopes to enjoy a rushing business.

Simultaneously it is announced that Sheriff Harvey Crosson, upon whom revolved the task of rounding up untagged canics, will go after the owners, Jan 1.

Auditor Phillips believes if owners are notified early they will buy tags for their pets. During the past year 3,177 dogs tags were sold in Allen-co.

The price of tags has not been raised this year. The fee is $1 for males and $3 for females. Money derived from sale of tags goes into a special county fund, out of which sheep claims are paid. Money not used for the purpose reverts to the general fund at the close of the year.

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The best Musical Comedy in recent years, at the FAUROT Tuesday and Wednesday with matinee Wednesday. Order now. Phone Main 5947.

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Tinker Toys ½ PRICE
75c Turtle Tinker 38c
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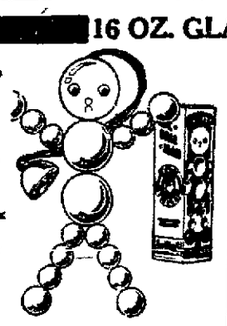

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$4.00 Tot Bikes With Pedals $2.98

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For the growing boy — built for endurance. Lay one away for your boy or girl. $6.77

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$1.50 Horsehead Choo Choo CARS $1.29

AN UNUSUAL SALE WOMEN'S AND MISSES'

High Grade New Dresses

Values up to $35

The Cost and the Sale Price Tomorrow Have No Relation to One Another—Many of the Dresses Have Been Sold for Twice as Much

$15.00 DOES NOT COVER THE COST OF THE MATERIALS ALONE!

Dresses women want now—for the holiday affairs. Dresses for street, afternoon, dinner and party wear. These dresses at $15 should be considered as "Gift Values" for you will hardly believe it possible that such superb fashions, lovely materials and wonderful tailoring can be combined in garments to sell at only $15. Choice of any Dress in the House $15

JUST A WORD ABOUT THIS HIGH GRADE DRESS SALE

We realize that Lima is full of Dress Sales. We have shopped them all—and we assure you, madam, that nowhere can you find such High Grade Dresses at such a reasonable price. We challenge all in this supreme Dress Value Saving Event. Come and see, please.

$10 DRESSES — Women's and Misses' silk and wool Dresses at about ½ regular prices. $5

$15 DRESSES — These are Dresses that actually were made to sell at $15—Our January Sale Price now $7.50

MONDAY! Holiday Sales Throughout this Busy Underselling Store--Of Course You Pay Less Here-- EVERYBODY KNOWS THAT

PLAID BLANKETS — 66x80 inch wool finish heavy twill weave, assorted color plaids, pair.... $3.69

Cotton Batts—12 oz. roll pure white, good grade cotton..... 19c

COTTON BLANKETS — 60x76 Grey Blankets with blue or pink washable borders, pair.... $1.98

Comforter Cotton—2 lb. batts, white cotton in one sheet, size 72x90..... 59c

TABLE CLOTHS — Table Cloths — Hemstitched size 64x64 inch; good grade bleached mercerized damask..... $1.39

36 inch Outing—dark and light fancy stripe patterns; heavy grade 24c

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CRIB BLANKETS — All pure virgin wool, thoroughly scoured and shrunk; pretty block plaids, each..... $1.29

36 inch Challies—A big assortment of desirable patterns for comforter coverings, etc., yard..... 18c

COMFORTERS — Large double bed size, covered with fancy silkoline, sanitary cotton filling..... $2.98

Table Cloths—Bleached mercerized damask, round, scalloped, ready for use; 58 inch; each..... 98c

BED SPREADS — 82x94 inch heavy white crochet weave with fringed edges or scalloped..... $2.98

Pattern Table Cloths—72x90 inch, American Maid, heavy highly finished damask, attractive patterns..... $2.79

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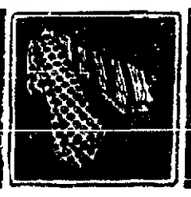
ELEGANT "GIFTS" FOR DADDY

Silk Ties — Great assortment open end stitch, four in hand ties, in fancy gift box..... 69c



Kerchiefs — Men's fine quality White Kerchiefs, hematitched borders, all wanted initials..... 59c

Kid Gloves — Men's fine quality Kid Gloves, warmly lined; colors brown, grey and black, pair $1.98

Dress Hose — Durable quality fine mercerized Dress Hose, black or colors, 3 pair in box..... 79c

Wool Scarf — Fancy brushed wool Scarfs; also fibre Scarfs; new stripe and check patterns.. $1.39

Bath Robe — Men's Beacon Blanket Bath Robes; newest designs; wanted colors. Special at..... $4.95

XMAS SLIPPERS
FOR MEN, WOMEN AND CHILDREN

Xmas Slippers — For the little tots, red or blue, heavy padded chrome soles; sizes 5 to 8. 69c

WOMEN'S Xmas SLIPPERS — Heavy padded chrome soles. Assorted colors; two-tones, Pom-pom trims; all sizes; at a big saving—just the gift for Christmas. 79c

Men's Solid Leather House Slippers $1.49 — Brown kid Everetts, all sizes.

BOSTON STORE

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Buy your Christmas Supply now---These are choice sizes---and wonderful fruit.

What would your groceries be costing you today were it not for Piggly Wiggly?

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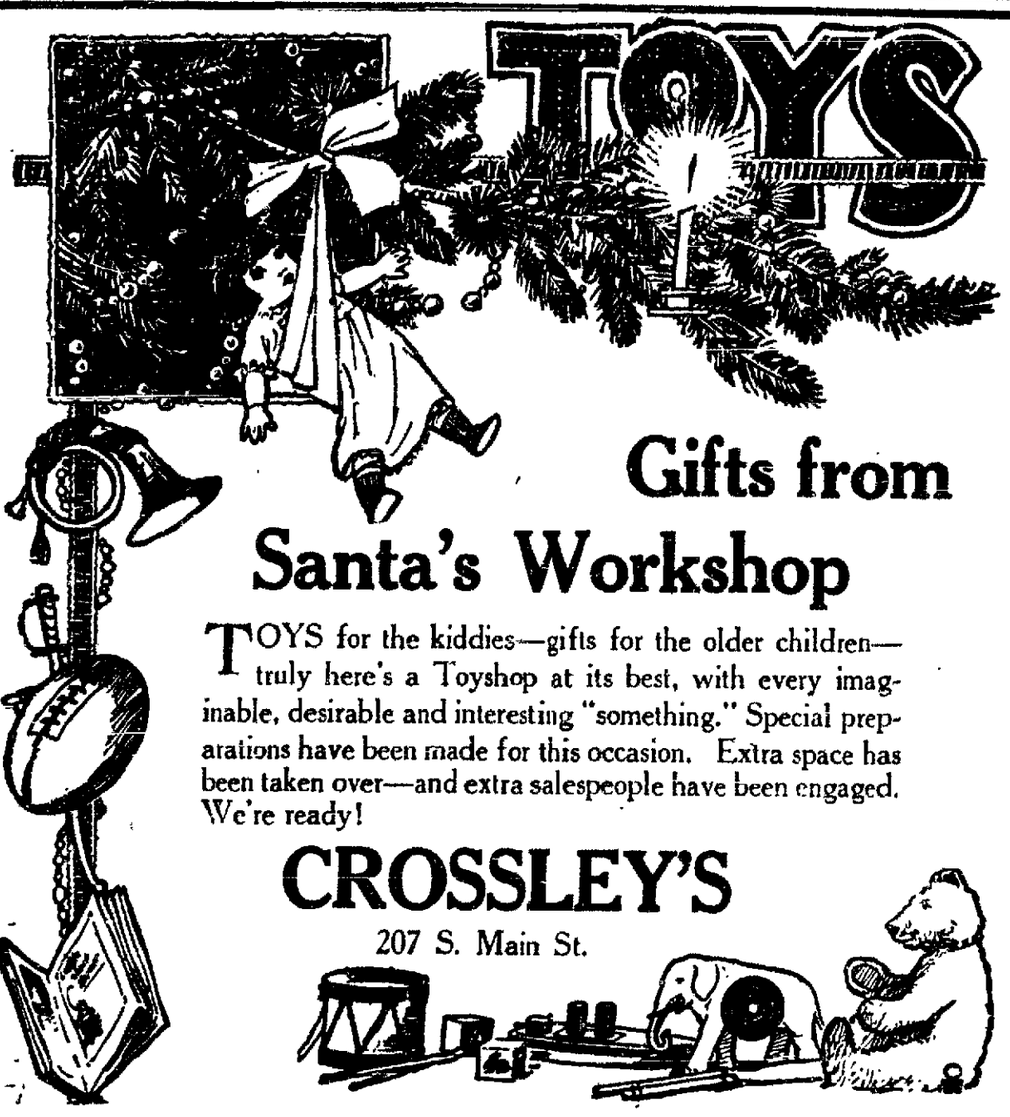

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20,000 FANS SEE TOLEDO HIGH WIN NATIONAL HONORS

Most Important Meet In History Of National Pastime Convenes In Chicago Monday

Scott Wins Game Against Cedar Rapids As A Crowd Marvels At Marak's Skill

TOLEDO—(By Associated Press)—A field goal drop kicked by Captain Eddie Evans late in the final period with only a few minutes to play and the score tied 21 to 21 gave Scott High a 24 to 21 victory over Washington High of Cedar Rapids, here today. The victory, coming after one of the most thrilling gridiron battles in high school history, gave Scott the national interscholastic championship.

The teams battled thru the first quarter without scoring but in the second period Scott scored twice. A forward pass, Evans to Alber on the fourth down and seven yards to go, counted the first touchdown of the game. A short time later Scott worked the ball to the Hawkeyes' five inch line and Lauffer crashed over on a quarterback sneak. Evans dropkicked both goals.

After a short skirmish in the third period Scott worked the ball to Cedar Rapids' one yard line and Lauffer, after two attempts had failed, crashed thru right tackle for another touchdown. Evans kicked goal and the score was 21 to 0.

But the Cedar Rapids defense built largely around Halfback Elmer Marek, one of the fastest men who ever graced a high school gridiron, began to function. On the first play after the kickoff Marek was given the ball, knifed his way thru a broken field and ran 45 yards to a touchdown. Shortly

after, Scott again lost the ball on downs and Marek, running and eluding tacklers like one possessed, shot thru left tackle for another touchdown. Scott failed to gain and Marek, thru an open field, ran 70 yards to a touchdown.

He kicked three goals, scoring all of his team's points. Scott held in the fourth period and Evans' drop kick broke the tie. Scott made fifteen first downs and Cedar Rapids nine. The crowd was estimated at more than 20,000.

The lineup:

SCOTT (24)		CEDAR RAPIDS (21)
Alber	LE	Young
Schlatter	LT	Uridil
Moor	LG	Kauffman (C)
Marihugh	C	Brown
Dow	RG	Healy
Meese	RT	Heath
Allen	RE	Kinch
Evans (C)	QB	Maresch
Gentner	LH	Marek
Merickle	RH	Hahn
Lauffer	FB	Murrell

Score by periods:

Scott	0	14	7	3	24
Cedar Rapids	0	0	21	0	21

Touchdowns. Alber, Evans, Lauffer, Marek 3. Field goal—Evans. Try for point—Evans 3 (drop kick), Marek 3 (place kick). Substitutions, Wechel for Moor; Cheney for Gentner; Hines for Maresch; Cubel for Kinch; Kinch for Heath. Referee—Masker, Milwaukee; umpire—Schommer, Chicago, field judge—Magidson, Michigan, head linesman—Costello, Georgetown. Time of quarters—15 minutes.

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ADA WINS OVER RIDGEFARM

ADA, Ohio—(Special to The Lima News)—Ada High's football team won over Ridgefarm, Illinois, High Saturday afternoon at college field in the first inter-sectional football game ever played here. The score was 19-0.

In the first quarter both teams battled on practically even terms, but in the second stanza Ada put over two touchdowns in quick order. The first resulted from Brecheisen's low dropkick which was touched by a Ridgefarm player and recovered by Doersam, Ada captain, in Ridgefarm's end zone. A few minutes later Baum dashed over the line after Ada had recovered a fumbled kickoff on Ridgefarm's 25-yard line. Brecheisen's attempts for the extra points were blocked.

Ridgefarm held Ada during the third quarter but in the last period Ada carried the ball to Ridgefarm's 2-yard line, only to lose it on downs. J. Long returned Ridgefarm's punt for a touchdown, and Baum caught a pass from Brecheisen for the extra point.

Ridgefarm showed a stubborn defense thruout the game, but Ada's steady plugging won. Kemdell and White, of the Illinois eleven, were the stars for their team, while Baum and Campbell were Ada's luminaries. Brecheisen and Captain Doersam also showed an expert game.

Ada closed the season with a record of six wins and four defeats. The team will lose nine men thru graduation next spring. Six are regulars and three second-team men. They are Captain Doersam, J. Long, Snyder, Campbell, E Klingler, J. Klingler, Wood, Poling and Sanderson. Coach Morehead will have plenty of material, however, to form another strong "Big Red" eleven.

O. J. Detrick, Lima Central, and "Bob" Young, Lima St. Rose coach, officiated at the game.

ADA (19)		RIDGEFARM (0)
J. Klingler	LE	Baker
Doersam (C)	LT	Pugh
Snyder	LG	Binkley
R. Long	C	W. Banta
Purnell	RG	J. Banta
Poling	RT	Ewers
Judkins	RE	Kealey
Brecheisen	QB	White
J. Long	LH	Baucamp
Baum	RH	Kemdell
Campbell	FB	Busly

Score by periods:

Ridgefarm	0	0	0	0	0
Ada	0	12	0	7	19

Touchdowns—Doersam, Baum, J Long. Extra point—Baum (pass). Substitutions—Ada: E Klingler for Snyder, Anspach for Purnell, Purnell for Anspach, Snyder for Purnell, Anspach for Snyder, Wood for E. Klingler, Allen for Poling, Sanderson for Long. Ridgefarm—Roden for Baker. First downs—Ada 12; Ridgefarm 2. Referee—Detrick, Lima Central. Umpire—Hughes, Danesville, Ills. Head linesman—Young, Lima. Time of quarters 12 minutes.

BOWLING

ALL STAR LEAGUE

Clubs	W	L	Pct
San Felice	14	7	.667
Little Odin	14	7	.667
Banta's	11	10	.524
Cole's Specials	11	10	.524
Harley Davidson	10	11	.476
Crawford Bootery	8	13	.381
Sigmas	8	13	.381
Bernard Boilers	8	13	.381

High Score—Probst 246
High Team Roll—Little Odin 1006
Three Games—Little Odin 2732
High Average—Dyke 189

Average Over 175

Dyke	189
Goodrich	188
Shelly	184
Probst	183
Snyder	181
Hardesty	179
Betts	178
Durbin	177
G. Chenowith	177
Day	175
McFarland	175

CITY LEAGUE

Club	W	L	Pct.
Hudson Super Six	7	2	.778
Lima News	12	6	.667
Consumers Fuel & Bldg Co.	9	6	.667
Quinn Decorating	6	6	.500
Buckeye Pipe Line	7	11	.390
Office Cigar Store	4	11	.267

OHIO STEEL FOUNDRY

Club	W	L	Pct
Time	6	0	1.000
Mechanical	4	2	.667
Cleaning	4	2	.667
Office	4	2	.667
Foundry	2	3	.400
Core	2	4	.333
Metal	1	4	.200
Production	0	6	.000

ELKS' LEAGUE

By defeating the Marshall's three games the Bantas have a tie for first place in the Elks' National League. Kruskamp, of Bantas had high honors with a 253 count. The Cadillacs are in high and are out to take first place

ELKS' LEAGUES

Marshall Spt. Goods	27	9	.750
Bantas	27	9	.750
Cadillac Sales	25	11	.694
Keatings Kleaners	18	18	.500
Timmerman Sales	17	19	.481
Bernhard Boilers	16	20	.461
Crawford's Bootery	7	29	.194
Jenkins Haberdash.	7	29	.194

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Morris	21	15	.583
Fetters'	18	18	.500
Clevengers	17	19	.471
Hays	16	20	.451

LIMA A. B. MERCANTILE LEAGUE
Broadway Alleys

Clubs	W	L	Pct.
El Verso	9	3	.700
Consolidated Bottling	8	4	.666
Banta's Let's Go	10	5	.666
Lima Defiance Ry.	8	7	.542
Odin Cigars	4	11	.266
Consumers Sup. Co	3	12	.200

High Individual Score—Carl Fisher 233
High Team Game—El Verso Cigars 947
High Team Roll—El Verso Cigars 2690

High Individual Average

Daniel Skinner	178
Glen Custer	177
G. Chenowith	175
Gray	175
Fredline	173
Harold McPheron	173

GARFORD MOTOR TRUCK LEAGUE

Club	W	L	Pct
Production	9	3	.750
Sales	9	3	.750
Road Test	7	5	.583
Engineering	6	6	.500
Machine Shop	4	8	.333
Garage	1	11	.083

EL KARAN GROTTO LEAGUE

Clubs	W	L	Pct
Rovers	17	7	.708
Imps	15	9	.625
Goats	10	14	.375
Cherubs	6	18	.250

BOOSTERS LEAGUE

Club	W	L	Pct
Cubs	16	8	.588
Pirates	14	10	.583
Yanks	9	15	.375
Orioles	9	15	.375

Averages

Name	Games	Aver
Smiley	18	181
F. Thomas	13	173
Maesman	12	173
Faurot	15	169
McCauley	18	166
Dexter	24	164
Galloway	15	161
Grayless	15	159
Preston	24	157
Graham	21	156
Shafer	15	156
Mefford	12	153
Wagner	3	151
Stuart	15	149
Percy	24	148
Holman	18	145
Patton	15	145
Cutter	6	145
Lawson	15	144
Reiff	6	143
Van Stronder	17	142
Thorburn	9	141
Isham	21	136
Allen	24	133
Standish	18	129
Fletcher	3	111

INDUSTRIAL LEAGUE STANDING

Clubs	W	L	Pct.
L. E. & W.	21	6	.778
Loco	23	7	.767
Crane	18	12	.600
Telephone Co.	15	15	.500
Solar	12	15	.444
B. & O.	11	13	.458
Y's Men	10	17	.371
Ohio Power	1	26	.037

LOCO SHOP LEAGUE

Shaw Drawing Room	17	4	.810
Pattern Shop	13	8	.619
Maintenance No 2	14	10	.584
Direct Drawing	11	10	.524
Accounting Room	9	9	.500
Foundry	10	11	.476
Smith Shop	8	13	.381
Maintenance No. 1	2	19	.095

CHURCH LEAGUE

Clubs	W	L	Pct
Market St. Presby.	11	1	.916
First Congregational	10	8	.555
Trinity M. E.	4	5	.444
Central Ch. of Christ	4	8	.333
Emanuel Lutheran	4	11	.267

BUSINESS MEN'S LEAGUE

Clubs	W	L	Pct
No. 4—Driver	25	14	.641
No. 2—Landfair	20	19	.572
No. 3—Dexter	18	21	.461
No. 1—Hedges	13	24	.354

COACH BEHR MODEST DIRECTOR OF MANY ATHLETIC CLUB STARS

LEFT TO RIGHT—COACH BEHR, MURCHISON, DOWDING, KNOUREK, ANDERSON, WATSON.

CHICAGO — "Untangling operatic temperaments is all I do; I never taught anybody to run or jump."

And that is all the inside training secret one gets from "Johnny" Behr, coach of record breakers, of the Illinois Athletic Club. Believe him or not as you choose, in the light of the track and field records held by his team and by its triumph in this year's national A. A. U. games.

Joie Ray is one of Behr's team and broke his first world's record, a 1000-yard event in Brooklyn, with Behr looking on. Harold M. Osborne, who set a new high mark in the decathlon at this year's national games, is another. Loren Murchison, now of the Newark Athletic Club, set his records in the indoor 60 and 70-yard dashes while under Behr's coaching.

DIRECT MANY STARS

Then there is the I. A. C. team which lowered the world's time for the four-mile relay—Joie Ray, Egil Krogh, Ray Baker and Ray Watson. And the equally distinguished medley relay team, of Watson, Ray, Archie Dowdling and Sam Rosen.

Add to that list the individual performance of Ray Watson in the 880-meter race, Robert I. Simpson in the 220-yard hurdles, Ed Knourek with his indoor pole vault record and Karl W. Anderson and other national champions and you have a list for any coach to pride himself on. Olympic honors for such a crew seem highly probable.

JUST A SHOCK ABSORBER

"All I do is try to keep them in a good humor. I am the shock absorber. With a team of 46 thorobreds hanging around, there is a new grievance to settle every minute. Irritability is a universal trait among all great athletes. They're spoiling for a fight and impatient for the big test.

"This irritability means an excess of the combative spirit. That is why they win. They are more keyed up than their rivals, and yet retain control of their faculties."

For all his disclaiming of credit, the fact stands out that the club was not a champion winner before Behr became physical director.

Behr himself was not a track athlete in his day. He was born in Brooklyn, N. Y., 30 years ago, and in his school days he paid his tuition by boxing.

AS A MATTER OF FACT

Being a Criticism of the Just and the Unjust In the World of Professional and Amateur Sports

BY HARRY GRAYSON

The meeting of all league clubs, major and minor, will begin its session in Chicago Monday. The dissatisfaction existing especially between class AA league and the majors calls for many changes. During the past three seasons, when class AA—American Association, Pacific Coast and International leagues—refused to accept the draft rule, with the majors, there has been more discontentment and silent wars, than with all the remainder of the rules combined. The majors retaliated thru not recognizing the class AA in any manner. Where players were transferred, they were sent to the class A league. The class AA stood pat, and the majors were willing. Class AA have profited because where formerly the draft price for a class AA player was $5,000, there have been transfers made where this sum was doubled, tripled and quadrupled; the minor league clubs were benefitted while the major league team looked upon the transaction as nothing short of extortion. But this is not all, it caused the dissatisfaction of many players. As an illustration in the cases of Dick Wade, outfielder and Bill Conroy, third baseman, stars of the Washington team. They were sent to Nashville, of the Southern league, or rather ordered to report there. Conroy kicks over the trade and refused absolutely to go. The result was that he jumped his contract and found a berth with the outlaw Sturgis, Mich., team. The trouble with many ball players, is that they have a conscience. I cannot believe that this baseball slavery—where a player after he has once signed a contract, is forever the chattel of the club he signs with, good policy, it is certain that it is contradictory to our American institutions and principles, and so often goes against the high ideals of American independence.

BALLPLAYERS ARE HUMAN IF TEMPERIMENTAL

The Wade—Conroy episode is but two out of many. If the commoner was asked to pack his belongings and migrate to Patagonia, he'd be liable to balk, but if a good ballplayer is ordered to some town in the Texas league or some other league, he's supposed to say to the club officials, "thank you," doff his cap and jump the rattlers. It's a good deal like figuring him a slave to the whims of some crazy pasha. But in playing close against the class AA teams, the majors were simply biting their nose to spite their face. It is certain that the promising youngster would stand a better chance in development among fast ball players than with lower down minor league teams. He wants to go up not down in his profession. So this is one of the most important items in alist of many, that call for an equitable adjustication.

MANY MINDS AND MANY SIZED POCKETBOOKS

There is a motly crowd at this league meeting. Many men of many minds and many sized pocket books. There is a story of a certain owner of a franchise in the Pacific Coast league, who after he had closed deals for the sales of players aggregated about $100,000, he met Col. Huston—the Colonel is probably worth some $15,000,000 — and was formerly half owner of the Yankees. The Wester manager was loud in calling the fact to the attention of Huston "Fine," said the Colonel, "tell you what I'll do I'll match for it." There is the parasite, the minor league manager, unfortunate enough to get a position with some class D team; lose three or four games and get fired, looking for another job. There is the tall sticks magnate, who has players for sale; then there's the fellow that owns a team in a class A league, looking for bargains; disgruntled players trying hard to better themselves and most important representative owners and managers from the majors, selective, and the envy of the whole crowd. They are the class that all others look up to, while these fellows banquet the press and influential acquaintances. A conglomerate gathering, much after the style of a slave market in Turkey.

MANY DEALS WILL BE CONSUMMATED

There will be many deals for players consummated at this meeting, but it is as certain as rent day, that little will be done towards remedying those faults that each year are getting more and more disgusting. The big trouble is that there is too much commercialism. The game of baseball, so far as the high class league are concerned, is played for the gate receipts. When we figure that such magnates as the Philadelphia management are allowed to control franchises, when it's as plain as a pikestaff that all they want, is huge prices for players; the idea being to make as much money out of it as possible. Every time the Philadelphia team springs a star, it is safe to say he's on the market to be sold to the highest bidder. New York says fans wont stand for a loser; New York is the greatest money maker in the majors, consequently let William Baker of the Phillies develop a star, and John McGraw gets him. Good from a business point of view, if it isn't sport. The Yanks got Babe Ruth. Babe is the most valuable asset in base ball. How did they get him from Boston. Ask and thou shalt know. If the Reds had kept their team together for the past half dozen years, they would have been winning pennants.

But there is as much in knowing how to pull the strings in Baseball as there is in knowing how to play the game. Watch what they do with Hornsby and Shocker, Ehmke and a host of the best prospects with major league teams; see if they don't strengthen those that don't need strengthening, and rob those that are already weak.

Detectives are urged to discard their square shoes. . . . It would be too much to ask them to discard their square heads.

Kaiser gets 12 passports to Germany. . . . One of which, of course, is for Gott.

Hollywood girls play football. . . . Wouldn't you like to see 'em skirt the ends?

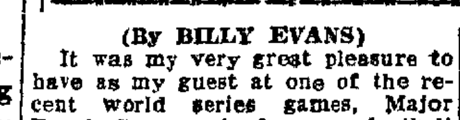
CAVANAUGH THINKS SOPHOMORES MAKE BEST FOOTBALL PLAYERS

(By BILLY EVANS)

It was my very great pleasure to have as my guest at one of the recent world series games, Major Frank Cavanaugh, famous football coach of Boston College.

Prior to the start of the game I sat in the grand stand with the major watching the batting practice. Several of the football experts of the various New York papers happened along. In a moment the topic of conversation shifted from the diamond to the gridiron.

The day previous the strong West Point eleven had been defeated by Notre Dame 13 to 0. The Army



was figured to have a strong team, and the rather easy manner in which the lighter Notre Dame team won the game came in the nature of a surprise.

"Looks as if West Point should have made a better showing," remarked one of the football experts, "the Army had a majority of last year's team in the lineup as well as several new stars."

"I thought Hewitt would greatly help the Army backfield," remarked another football writer, "however, he didn't seem able to swing into the Army style of play."

Hewitt, last year was a member of the University of Pittsburg team and was regarded as one of the best backfield men in the country.

"Strikes me as if the Army had a decided edge over most teams, particularly Navy, in being able to get these stars from other colleges," said a third scribe. All this time Major Cavanaugh had been a good listener.

"I will have to disagree with you experts," said the major with a smile, "if only for the sake of an argument.

"You boys know that I am a bug on the value of psychology in relation to football. I wouldn't give a dime for a player who couldn't be aroused in some way. I like the players who can be thrilled, inspired to do big things.

"As far I am concerned I don't have much use for the athlete who has played two or three years on some star team before he comes to me. That is what the Army coach is always up against. For my part I would like each year to have a team composed almost entirely of sophomores, say eight sophomores and three other players with an extra year or two back of them.

"When a coach talks to a team made up of sophomores, he has an audience. As he gets after the players before the game or between halves he gets their attention, they listen to every word he says. It sinks in, they go out on the field keyed up to the highest pitch, ready to go the limit. On the other hand the junior or senior sits back with a half grin on his face, as much as to say:

" 'Bunk. I have heard that line of talk before. It's old stuff, slip me something new if you want to thrill me.'

"The junior or senior is past the appeal of psychology, making him 40 per cent less effective."

When the major finished the experts were willing to admit there was much logic in his deductions.

Verdun Stad Rises Over Ruins

VERDUN — A standard athletic stadium, with regulation rugby and association football fields, running tracks, velodrome, grandstands and club houses, being erected on the edge of this battered city, simultaneously with the work of reconstructing homes to provide shelter for war victims, is evidence of the place which outdoor sports and athletics now occupy in French life.

"London Park" as the new grounds will be known, in grateful appreciation of the fact that 350,000 francs of the amount necessary for the expense involved were subscribed in London, is to be officially inaugurated by Premier Poincare next summer. Invitations will be sent to celebrated foreign athletes and their participation is expected greatly to enhance the ceremony from an athletic point of view.

A straightway cinder path chute of 200 metres is now completed and the plans call for a circular cinder track of 500 metres. Seating accommodations will be provided for 10,000 spectators with additional room for 20,000 standers.

The work commenced last summer has been somewhat delayed, owing to the fact that the site of the stadium is between the Tour des Champs and the Fort Chaussee in the center of the worst shell torn area surrounding the town, and workmen had to proceed very carefully as their picks on many occasions turned up duds which exploded with belated fury.

Battling Siki no longer trains on wine. . . . Siki is one of those rare fellows who can do without it, when he can't get it.

What is just plain bull to the vulgar roughneck is a bear story to the effete collegian.

Base Ball Men Will Meet In Chicago

CHICAGO — (Associated Press)—The biggest convention in the history of baseball opens here Monday to continue for six days with an expected attendance of more than 1,300 ranging from the lowest bush leagues to the richest major, with the prospects of the biggest player market ever held.

No less than 15 meetings of individual leagues, including the American and National leagues, a joint session of the two major leagues, presided over by Commissioner Landis, and a meeting of all the minor leagues of the nation and their board of arbitration will go to make baseball history in the biggest week of conferences the game has ever known.

It will be the first time that officials of all of the leagues of the country have assembled in one session.

Besides a flock of pending player trades and sales, the most important business of the conference appears to be the Pacific Coast League presidency dispute which is closely interwoven with the draft problem; settlement of rumored dissatisfaction with Commissioner Landis over the handling of the world's series, disposition of a reported $20,000 fund in the commissioner's hands, and the Seattle club transfer; and the draft issue of the International League, Pacific Coast League, American Association and Western League.

The convention is expected to produce at least a half dozen important player deals, as almost all of the major league club owners have declared that "we will trade any player we have, if we can improve our club."

HORNSBY MAY BE TRADED

It is expected that a deal involving Rogers Hornsby, star second baseman of the St. Louis Cardinals and 1923 batting champion of the National League will be consummated, while overtures for the services of Eddie Collins, captain of the White Sox may be made. Urban Shocker, pitching ace of the St. Louis Browns may be traded during the week, as a result of his dispute with the management that led to his suspension of charges of insubordination. The convention will open on Monday with individual meetings of the American Association, Southern Association, Pacific Coast and Western Leagues, and also a meeting of the minors' board of arbitration, which will attempt to settle the Pacific Coast League presidency wrangle. The National and American Leagues will meet on Tuesday with a joint session scheduled for the following day.

THE DRAFT QUESTION

The draft question promises to retain its customary position in the limelight. The American Association, International and Pacific Coast Leagues are scheduled for a joint meeting on Monday to discuss a plan regarding the draft which will be submitted to the majors. It is generally believed that the arrangement which the Western League accepted last year, would be acceptable to the Three I. Leagues. According to this plan, a club is allowed to retain its own developed players, these not being subject to the draft.

The American Association at its meeting is expected to complete its business quickly, adopt the schedule for the 1924 season, which will probably call for 154 games and award the pennant to Kansas City.

The sale of the Toledo club which it is understood Roger Bresnahan is anxious to dispose of, may hinge on the outcome of the Association's action on the draft.

The conference next week gives promise of being the biggest trading and sales market in the history of baseball. Business along this line is promising to become brisk just as soon as the majors and minors reach some agreement on the draft. It is known that at least ten big trades involving players in the Pa-

Two of the biggest deals in base-cific Coast League are on the fire. ball are said to be in the making These involve Rogers Hornsby, of the St. Louis Nationals and Urban Shocker of the St. Louis Americans. Hornsby came to blows with Manager Rickey last season and was suspended. He is anxious to be traded, and the Chicago and New York clubs are said to have made generous offers. Shocker, who was suspended for violation of the rules of his club, has asked Commissioner Landis to be declared a free agent. It is understood that the commissioner will decide that Shocker's case is a club matter, and the player will be told to report to his club.

A deal sending Eddie Collins of the White Sox to Washington as manager is understood to be almost ready to announce.

Christmas Suggestions

FOOT BALLS — BASKET BALLS — BOXING GLOVES — RIFLES-GUNS — FISHING TACKLE — BICYCLES — WAGONS — TRICYCLES — AUTOMOBILES — GOLF SUPPLIES — SWEATERS — TENNIS RACKETS — STRIKING BAGS — ATHLETIC OUTFITS ICE SKATES—BASEBALL GOODS—TOYS—CAMERAS—FLASHLIGHTS — Hockey Clubs

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To Sensational Playing Of A Michigan Substitute Quarterback Tie In Big Ten Championship Was Made

(BY BILLY EVANS)

Michigan, unbeaten since early October, 1921, when Ohio State triumphed over her by a score of 14 to 6, looked unbeatable for 1923. She started off the season in impressive style. The Yost Machine swept along an one of the chief reasons for this sweep was Irwin Uteritz, quarterback.

The Michigan attack revolved around Uteritz. He was one of those rare gems of football — an intelligent quarterback. Uteritz was a quarterback in every sense of the word, the pilot of the Michigan team. His generalship was as near flawless as it is possible for quarterbacking to be. Yost pronounced him the greatest directing head he had ever seen on a team.

Michigan was playing the Marines from the Quantico Naval Station. Uteritz had already scored a touchdown against the Marines. In the fourth period Michigan once more got inside the Marines' 20-yard line and Uteritz tried to carry the ball around end. He was tackled behind his scrimmage line and after the whistle blew Uteritz did not get up. He was carried off the field, his ankle broken.

DEBUT OF ROCKWELL

From the sidelines came a youngster. On the back of his jersey, in large block figures, in the 40,000 spectators read "26." Hurried glances thru the program. There they found the number and name.

26—Ferdinand (Tod) Rockwell, quarterback; 5 feet 9 inches, weight 160.

That settled it for the crowd They had never heard of Rockwell. They knew but one quarterback — Uteritz; he was without a peer.

Rockwell came in and yelped a signal. Then he went 10 yards behind his line of scrimmage. He laid on the ground. Behind him was Blott, Michigan's great center and at times place kicker. The play was apparent to the Marines.

The ball was snapped back. Rockwell held it in position for a place kick. But, just as Blott advanced to apply his toe to the ball and as the Marines forwards came streaming thru to block the kick, Rockwell jumped to his feet suddenly and ran. Eight Michigan players had swung to the right to offer interference. They blocked and Rockwell ran on—26 yards to a touchdown. It was his first play in varsity football.

The game with Wisconsin followed. Wisconsin was pointed for Michigan. The Wolverine following bewailed the lack of a quarterback. It was a battle, that game at Madison. In the first period Captain Below kicked a field goal and gave Wisconsin a lead of three points.

The lead seemed good for the remainder of the game, but later on, in the second period, Michigan held Wisconsin deep in Wisconsin territority and compelled Taft to punt Rockwell standing on the Michigan 32-yard line, got under the ball, but it struck him in the chest and bounded to one side. Rockwell went after the ball and recovered it. One tackler hit him and he went down, but he bounded up again like a loose ball. A few yards further on another tackler hit him. He again went down and bounded up again. Then he was hit again and knocked down. This time he rolled to within five yards of the sideline, jumped up and started to run again He squirmed thru the Wisconsin secondary defense. This had relaxed, believing that Rockwell was down and the ball dead, altho no whistle had sounded Rockwell kept on going until he had crossed the Wisconsin goal line A consultation of officials, the definite statement that the whistle had not sounded, and the referee ran to the goal line and, standing in front of Rockwell, raised both arms, signifying a touchdown for Michigan. The play beat Wisconsin 6 to 3.

HERO ONCE MORE

Minnesota alone stood between Michigan and a continuation of her hold on the Western Conference championship A week ago before Minnesota had smothered Iowa. None believed Michigan had a chance, particularly with Uteritz out of the backfield. Also, Blott, Michigan's great center, had suffered a broken ankle in the Wisconsin game.

But for the third game in succession Rockwell delivered In the second period Michigan got the ball to Minnesota's 31-yard line. Vick, substitute fullback, went 10 yards behind the scrimmage line and threw a forward pass out over center Rockwell, running at top speed, managed to get the ball by his finger tips. He juggled it a moment, pulled it down, and, wiggling loose from two tacklers, ran to a touchdown. This play beat Minnesota.

Rockwell is one of the best broken field runners in the Western Conference. He, more than any other man, saved the Big Ten football title for Michigan Rather, he gave Michigan the chance to tie with Illinois for the title.

And so, there you have a story that sounds like Dick Merriwell. It is the story of the substitute, a curly-haired sophomore at Michigan.

LIMA BASKETEERS TROUNCE STRONG VISITING TEAM

Lima Business College Defeated Anthony Wayne In Hard Fought Battle

The Lima Business College cage team won its fourth straight game of the season Saturday night by taking a hard-fought battle from the Anthony Wayne Business College team of Fort Wayne on the Hawisher Hall floor. The score was 37-15.

The teams fought hard from the start and it was several minutes before O'Connor tossed in the first score of the game. The Business College gradually increased the score until it stood 19-6 at the half.

High scoring honors for the evening went to Marquis, Lima right forward. He was credited with seven goals from the field. Several of his shots were of the sensational variety. Crawford, his running mate, scored five fielders and one foul for an eleven-point total, while O'Connor, center, made four from the center of the floor.

Shock was the individual star for the Fort Wayne team. He accounted for eight of his team's fifteen points.

Both sets of guards did excellent defensive work, but Brown and Benedict must be given much of the credit for the low score amassed by the visitors.

The local team showed surprisingly good form and ought to put up a strong game with the Bluffton College quintet, which they will meet at Bluffton Friday night. On the following evening the Rockford Reds will meet the Business College on the Hawisher floor.

Lineups and summary:

L. B. C. (37)		FT. WAYNE (15)
Marquis	RF	Shock
Crawford	LF	Gilbert
O'Connor	C	Downs
Brown	RG	Carter
Benedict	LG	O'Rourke

Field goals—Marquis 7; Crawford 5; O'Connor 4, Brown 1; Benedict 1, Shock 3, Gilbert 1, Sullivan 1; Downs 1. Free throws—Crawford 1: Shock 1; Downs 1 Substitutions—Thompson for Marquis; Spees for O'Connor, Hilkerd for Spees; Fly for Brown; Zapp for Benedict, Sullivan for Shock, Keefer for Carter Referee—Herrett. Time of halves—20 minutes.

AMONG THE CAGERS

The sport editor of the Lima News is in receipt of a communication from E. Holly, manager of the celebrated Holly Majors Basketball team, made up entirely of star basketeers, asking if a suitable date could be arranged to play any team in this locality. They have as an added attraction Nick Altrock and Schact, star clowns of baseball, comedians, who did their stunts before and between halves of the worlds series. The team is made up of D. Deighan, Camden, N. J, champs; Hinkey Haines; all American halfback, Penn State, and basketball champs; Nat Hickey, star of Pennsylvania Railroad team; Holly Stark, assistant basket ball coach of Vermont University; Brooks Dowd, star of Fisk Red Top cagers for two years; Stanley Harris, considered one of the best basketball players of the east. Every one of these players are prominent baseball players as well. Any basketball promotor or manager who is desirous of playing this star aggregation should address Sports Editor, Lima News.

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The United Brethren five of the Sunday school League will begin their 1923-24 season next week by appearing in a preliminary at Wa-. Following this game they will play in prelims to St. Rose and Lima Business College games. Any fast juvenile team wishing a game with them get in touch with Harold Burn, 321 S. Pine-st.

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The First Baptist Sunday school team, which played in the preliminary to the Lima Business College-Fort Wayne game last night, wants games with teams in the same class. Call Carl Alexander, manager, phone Main 7101.

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St Rose will practice hard this week in preparing for the coming game with Botkins here Friday night. Although anticipating a win, the Catholic team will not let up in training, but will be out to give the visitors the best game possible.

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The Catalpa Indians basketball team is ready to book with any 135 lb. team in the city or vicinity. Games with Waynesfield, Harrod and Lafayette teams have already been scheduled. Call Beryl Klinger at State 2647, or Harold Albright, High 2852, for games.

French Owner Wants Race With Zev

NEW YORK—(Associated Press) —"No racing thoroughbred may claim world's championship laurels until he has met and defeated my Epinard," according to Pierre Wertheimer, millionaire owner of the champion French three-year-old. M. Wertheimer arrived today on the Paris, and altho his trip was made for business purposes, he expects to meet Harry Sinclair, owner of the American champion Zev, and arrange a race or series of races between the two thoroughbreds.

Y. M. C. A. SPORTS

A representative swimming team is being formed at the local Y. M. C. A. Meets with Dayton, Hamilton, Fort Wayne and other nearby cities will be scheduled. The team will be coached by John Creps, Ohio State graduate, and former member of Columbus Athletic club swimming team. Anyone interested and wishing to try out for the team should report at Y. M. C. A. physical department office.

The acquatic committee, composed of William Pflaum, former member of Dayton "Y" swimming posed of William Pflaum, former team, as chairman, I. W. Green, W. S. Shepard, John Creps and L. C. Brown, is planning a big aquatic program this season.

Two big swimming exhibitions are being planned for New Year's Eve. Program consisting of novelty swimming, relay races, fancy diving, and some daring feats of aquatics. Full program to be announced at later date.

Life saving practice holds a big part in the swimming program. "Every member a swimmer" and "Every swimmer a life saver" is the objective. The following class of boys have been receiving instruction, and will try the test for Junior Red Cross Life Saver: Don Weller, Harrison Carter, Marion Renner, Chas. King, Homer Zurmehly, Gilbert Patton, Ray Brown, Bob Dexter, Jim Dunn, Bob Weaver, Cloyd Weller, John Plummer, Byron Mundhenk, Steiner Armentrout, Delbart Hardesty, Kay Tolford, Joe Kelley and Paul Schoenlein. These boys will then be formed into a life saving corps.

Joe Cantillon proposes to start a school for pitchers in Minneapolis. He will have a corps of veteran pitchers and catchers to teach the aspiring twirlers how to shoot It is thought the scheme is a good one and that many managers would send promising pitchers for development.

JACK BLOTT IS MOST VERSATILE CENTER IN GAME

Jack Blott will go down into football history as one of the greatest centers ever produced at Michigan. That is some compliment when you consider Michigan has turned out the great "Germany" Schulz, "Dad" Gregory, Jimmy Baynsford, Ernie Vick and others.

In all probability, no player ever had a tougher job slipped to him than Blott when he was placed at center for Michigan. He succeeded Ernie Vick, All-American star. It was figured the departure of the Michigan line would be sadly felt.

The play of Blott for the past two years has been so good that Vick, despite his greatness, hasn't even been missed. Besides being a real center, Blott also stars at kicking goals from the field. Blott won the Vanderbilt game this year by a field goal and decided the Iowa game by falling across the goal line on a loose ball for the touchdown.

Yankees Still After Southpaw Jake May

NEW YORK—Despite the fact that in Pitcher Herb Pennock the Yankees have one of the best southpaws in the American League, it is understood that Manager Huggins has not given up hopes of securing Jakey May from Vernon of the Pacific Coast League.

MAY

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The deal was practically closed last winter. To complete the deal Pitcher Carl Mays was one of the players to be sent to the coast. Every major league club waived on the big blond pitcher but Cincinnati. When New York couldn't deliver Mays the deal fell thru.

During the past season Mays has fallen short of the major league standards in practically every start he made and did only fairly well in finishing games. As a result it is believed that no great difficulty will be experienced in getting him out of the majors if waivers are gain asked.

Jakey May would no doubt help the Yankees and as Pennock is not a strong fellow would get plenty of chance to work if he showed big league stuff. Mays, on the other hand, with his perculiar delivery, might be a sensation on the coast.

It would occasion no great surprise if the New York Americans shortly announced that the deal had gone thru.

A Round Robin Agreement Favored

ANN ARBOR, Mich.—(Associated Press)—A round robin arrangement of football schedules, which in the course of ten years would bring a meeting between all the schools of the Western Conference, was favored here by editors and business managers of Big Ten college publications, with the exception of Ohio State. The proposition was broached by Minnesota's representative, R. E. Bartholdi, who pointed to the condition of Wisconsin this year as one of the reasons for the initiation of the proposed arrangement.

Ohio reserved decision to await the action of their publication's board of directors.

BIG TEST COMING

Percy Haughton in his days at Harvard was regarded as the "wonder coach," the man responsible for the Crimson's great success on the gridiron. At Columbia this year Haughton has met with but little success, rather proving that the material makes the coach. However, it is too much to ask a coach to show much in his first year. It takes that long to establish a system. Next year will be the big test for Haughton at Columbia.

AMONG THE GRIDDERS

Both the boys and the girls of the Central Church of Christ report high hopes for basketball honors in the church league this year. Both teams are practicing regularly and are gaining speed rapidly.

LEO C. LUCKE

Here is the bowling king of the east, Leo C. Lucke, winner of the 1923 eastern individual bowling championship.

Lucke has been bowling sensationally for the past year. He twice defeated Jimmie Smith of Milwaukee, one of the game's greatest money bowlers, during the last tour of that star through the east.

HOPPE MUST SHOW IMPROVED FORM TO WIN OVER COCHRAN

When Willie Hoppe and Welker Cochran clash for the billiards championship of the world December 17, 18 and 19, the champion is apt to find himself in a most unusual position. He is likely to find that the challenger is the ruling favorite. At least the dope slants that way now.

Taking a squint at the performances of the pair at the November tournament in New York, it seems justifiable that Cochran should be favored to dethrone the once "Boy Wonder." In that meeting, Hoppe didn't look anything like his old self His playing was only fair; he was erratic and time and again he missed easy shots.

The fact that Willie lost only one game, wasn't due so much to his stellar work as to the poor showing made by the opponents As far as great billiards was concerned, there wasn't much of that brand displayed at New York.

Cochran, on the other hand, surprised his fondest admirers. He took a fall out of both Hoppe and Schaefer, the two favorites. Schaefer was handed one of the worst drubbings ever administered in titular matches. An unlooked for defeat at the hands of a foreigner was all that prevented Welker from walking off with the championship, then and there.

It is quite possible, though that Hoppe will regain the same form that enabled him to whip Schaefer after Jake had copped his title. Willie is an old campaigner, and in crucial matches seems still possessed of the stuff which permits him to surmount the toughest barrier just when the going is roughest.

American team Win Six Day Bike Race

NEW YORK—Ernest Kockler, of Chicago, and Percy Lawrence of San Francisco, riding as the American enry, tonight won the thirty-fifth international six day bicycle race at Madison Square Garden, finishing one lap ahead of the field.

FOOTBALL NOTES

COLUMBUS—Ohio State University's 1924 football schedule was completed tonight Athletic Director St. John announced by the addition of two Ohio conference teams to the six Western Conference games scheduled. Ohio Wesleyan was given the date October 18 and Wooster November 1. Both games will be played in the Ohio stadium.

CINCINNATI—St Xavier College's football players tonight selected William G Knecht, tackle, of Newport, Ky., to be captain of the 1924 team Knecht becomes a senior next year Joe Meyer remains as coach.

PITTSBURGH—Edward Gilbert, guard, was elected captain of the 1924 Carnegie Tech., football team today. The reappointment of Judge Walter P. Steffen, of Chicago, as coach for 1924 also was announced.

SOUTH FAILS TO SHOW

There seems to have been a decided slump in the standard of the football teams turned out in the south this year Georgia Tech, usually a tough foe, has had no success in the north; Centre, always a hard team to beat, was easy for Pennsylvania, while other teams of lesser caliber have proved soft picking. Probably just an off-year for southerners.

FOOTBALL RESULTS

Lane Tech., Chicago 7; Cleveland All Star High 0.

Scott High, Toledo, 24; Cedar Rapids, Iowa, 21

Vanderbilt 7; Princeton Stars 7 (tie).

ROGERS HORNSBY

St. Louis. — The rumor that Rogers Hornsby, noted second baseman of the St. Louis Cardinals, is to be traded, probably to the Chicago Cubs, refuses to down. Local fandom senses that a deal is pending and refuses to believe otherwise, despite denials from headquarters. Hornsby has had several run-ins with the club management and is said to be anxious to play elsewhere next year.

WINNING JOCKIES

LONDON — A mere apprentice C. Elliot, tied Steve Donoghue at top of the list of winning jockeys during the flat racing season in Great Britain this year Each had 89 wins when the final race had been run. An American jockey, George Archibald, was eleventh in the list, with 41 victories. He was second in 39 races and third in 27, but his average was as good as that of the two leaders, for while Archibald was unplaced only 208 times, Donoghue failed to finish among the first three in 391 races and Elliot was among the also rans on 367 occasions.

Skiing Clubs Will Go To Olympiad

Skiing, long one of the most popular sports in the north country, promises to have an unusual successful season during the coming winter, according to reports from local clubs and from clubs thruout the Iron Range country.

Prominent among leading skiing clubs are those at Duluth and Coleraine. The latter place has one of the best steel scaffolds in the country. Duluth, with several of its many hills, marked with slides of all descriptions, also will have a large new scaffold.

The Olympic tryouts are scheduled for this winter, and the indications point to Minneapolis as the place where they will be held.

The Duluth Ski club plans to send entries to the 1924 national tournament, which will be held in Vermont and also representatives to bid for the 1925 meet. The last national meet held in Duluth was in 1914.

STONE OF PHILLY NEWEST STAR IN LIGHT HEAVIES

The newest star among the light heavyweights of the nation is Ad Stone of Philadelphia, a second Dempsey in action Stone made his debut here recently and gave Mike Burke, local top-notcher, a terrific beating. Stone all but knocked Burke out in the third round with a right-hand punch.

Stone is eternally aggressive and flays away with both hands all the time. With a little more experience experts figure he will be able to hold his own against Tunney, Greb, McTigue and Carpentier. Stone weighs 176 pounds and is proportionately built.

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PHYSICIAN'S WILL IN COURT AGAIN

Second Trial Over Estate of Dr. Murphy Opens Monday

DAUGHTER FIGHTS BEQUESTS

Former Jury Disagreed After 72 Hours of Deliberation

For a second time in the past year the will of the late Dr John J. Murphy, obstetrician, and north end politician, who died April 13, 1922, will be under fire in common pleas court when retrial of an action to set aside his will commences before a jury Monday morning The jury disagreed on a previous trial.

Shortly following the death of Dr Murphy suit was instituted by Mrs Mary Murphy Lemonds, a daughter, to set aside a will executed in favor of Dr Mabel Dunn Murphy, physician and gynecologist, on the ground that the document was not his valid last will and testament.

The will was probated before Judge J H Hamilton. Mrs Mabel Dunn Murphy, second wife of the decedent, was appointed executrix.

LARGE FORTUNE HINTED

Dr Murphy is reputed to have left a large fortune, to which Mrs. Edmonds and Mrs Julia R Baughman, a sister, believe they rightfully are entitled.

Mrs Margaret Murphy, former wife of Dr. John J Murphy, is still alive

At a former trial of the case, efforts were made by the daughters to show that their father was mentally unbalanced at the time he executed the will in favor of Mabel Dunn Murphy.

Dr Murphy was born in Ireland, and came to America an immigrant boy. He entered the University of Michigan, and was graduated a physician, and later came to Lima to practice

MARITAL LIFE BARED

Family life of Dr Murphy, dating back for 30 years was bared at the trial of the case. Dozens of former patients testified Some told of eccentric conduct, others related remarkable cures effected by him

After hearing the evidence in the case a jury of six men and six women debated the matter for more than 72 hours, going home each night and returning to argue over the testimony in the morning The court finally released them, when they reported an agreement was out of the question

Retrial of the case is expected to bring out new evidence, calculated to cause the jury to set aside the will or allow it to stand.

VETERANS' AIDE HERE

Colonel W L Marlin, representing the Toledo district of the United States Veterans' bureau, will be in Lima Tuesday afternoon to interview ex-service men who have claims against the government regarding compensation. Colonel Marlin will make his headquarters at the Red Cross office on W. Elm-st where he will be during the afternoon

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COVERS CLERKS WITH GUN

Girls Lined up Against Wall, Money Scooped up

FOSTORIA, Ohio — (United Press)—A woman robber Saturday held up two girl clerks in the Ohio Savings and Loan Bank here and escaped with all the money in sight, approximately $1,000.

Carl Smith, manager of the institution had not arrived at the office and the two girls, Mable Blackford and Edith Allyn, were alone in the office when the gunwoman entered

Miss Blackford said the woman was neatly dressed, wore bobbed hair and a large brown overcoat. She appeared to be between 35 and 40 years old.

Covering the two clerks with a revolver the woman demanded that they "shell out." Then she ordered them to face the wall.

"Now don't move for 40 minutes," she said.

LEAVES WITH MONEY

The gunwoman stuffed the money in the pockets of her big coat and walked out. Passersby said they saw a woman answering to the description of the gunwoman run down an alley near where the holdup was staged.

The girl clerks were still standing, faces to the wall, when Carl Smith arrived at the bank a few minutes later.

He said he believed the same woman tried to hold him up several weeks ago but that he "talked her out of it," and she fled.

BANK ROBBED

YOUNGSTOWN — (Associated Press) — The Elm-st branch of the Dollar Savings and Trust Co. which was held up and robbed of $1,300 recently, was again held up Saturday by four robbers who escaped in an automobile with $600 to $700. The bandits headed north

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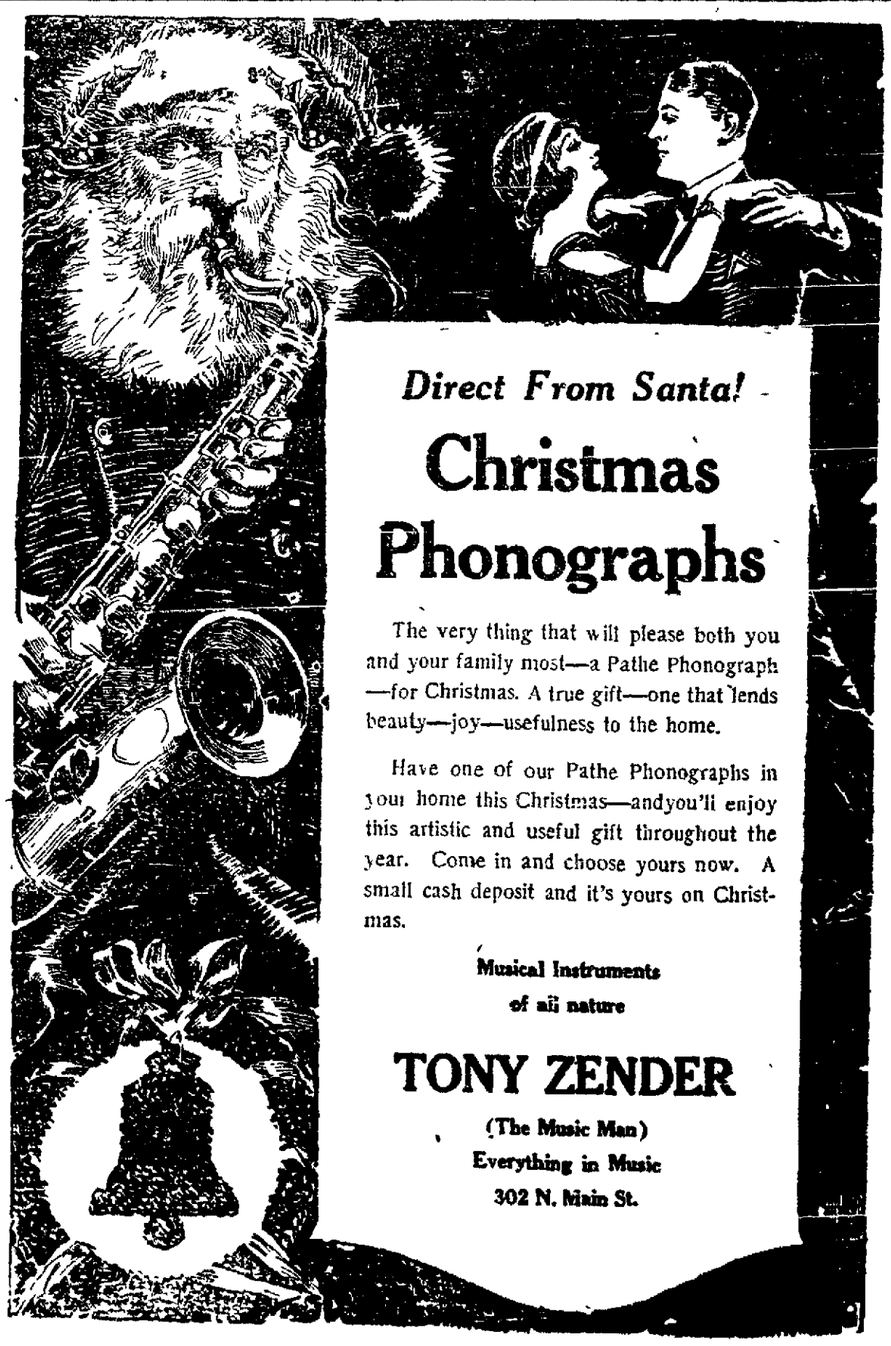

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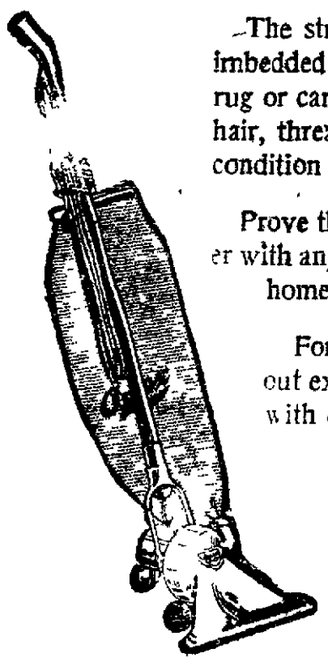

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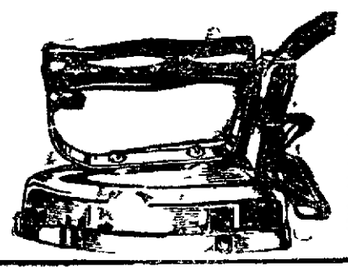

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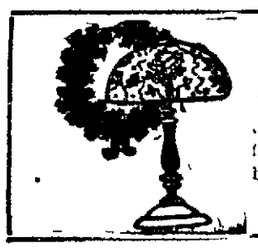

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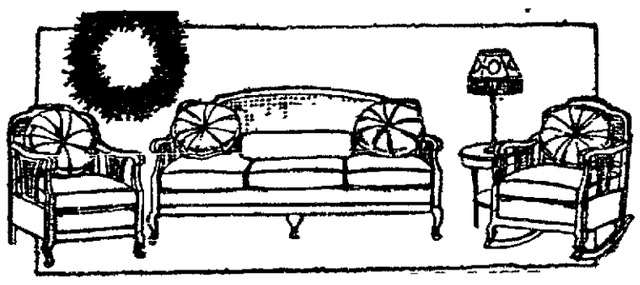

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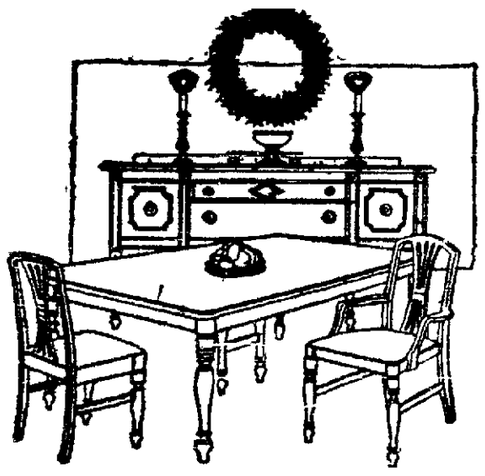

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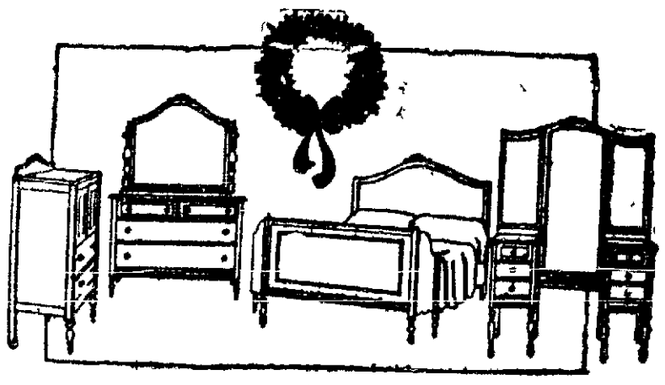

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If They Are Cold Slumberland is a Long Way Off

(BY PAUL ROBARTS)

Did you ever stop to think about how you go to sleep? That is, which of your five senses becomes dormant first and which last? Or did you ever stop to wonder why it is that you cannot go to sleep when your feet are cold? Or did yon know that you cannot get to sleep until the feet are warm?

As a matter of fact the time worn expression "dropped off to sleep" is incorrect because the human being does not drop off to sleep in the sense of just being wide awake one second and sound asleep the next There is no such thing.

Each of the five senses goes to sleep at different times and each awakens at different times and the waking order of the senses is different from their sleeping order. In some persons one of the senses never sleeps. Do you know which one it it?

TRY IT SOME TIME

When you lie down at night try and figure which part of you is falling asleep first. If you cannot figure it out or, as the humorists would say, 'if you cannot stay awake long enough to find out which of you is going to sleep first why try and stay awake anyhow "

According to the best information obtainable the sense of sight is the first to go to sleep. Your eyelids drop and close and then the sense of sight is at rest completely. But tho still apparently asleep you have the other four senses. Next the sense of taste disappears and then in a short time the sense of smell is lulled to slumberland. Then the tympanum becomes insensible to sound and the sense of hearing is gone. This leaves only the sense of touch and that lingers for some time tho you may not have the power to discern it or to know what you touch. In hypersensitive people the sense of touch never sleeps but they do not have any power to discern what they have touched altho actually having the sense of touch still active.

Most people think that when they open their eyes they are just waking up but they are not, because three of their senses have been awake before the sense of sight comes out of slumberland. As the sense of touch is the last to go to sleep, so it is the first to awaken Then you hear something and the sense of hearing is shown to be awake. That is one reason why, when you are aroused in the night by some terrible sound, you will, on opening your eyes find yourself sitting bolt upright in bed or even partly out of bed. It is because the sense of hearing, being the second sense to awaken, has responded before your sense of sight ha awakened.

TASTE BEATS SIGHT

Taste awakens even before sight does and a person might get a bit of food or something else that was sensitive to the tongue and would actually be able to comprehend the taste before the eyes had become opened.

You often hear people say they were awakened by smelling the coffee or by the smell of bacon frying. But they were not, because all the other four senses were fully awake before the sense of smell was aroused. Just why this should be so, the writer will not attempt to explain.

Did you ever notice that when you went to bed with cold feet that you could not get to sleep? Know why? And have you noticed that on such nights your brain seems more active? (Not because wide awake feet have any direct connection with sleepless brains.)

As a matter of fact a person starts to sleep at the feet and the relaxation of all body activities moves upward from the feet towards the head, with the brain the last to relax and this is never complete for with hypersensitive people, as shown above, the sense of touch is never asleep and so some little portion of the brain is still awake or the sense of touch could not be flashed from the brain to the nerves governing touch.

The next time you go to bed and find your feet cold and you cannot get to sleep just get the feet good and warm and you will soon drop into a cozy slumber. If you do not believe this is so just try it. It is because the feet fall asleep first that a person cannot go to sleep when the feet are cold.

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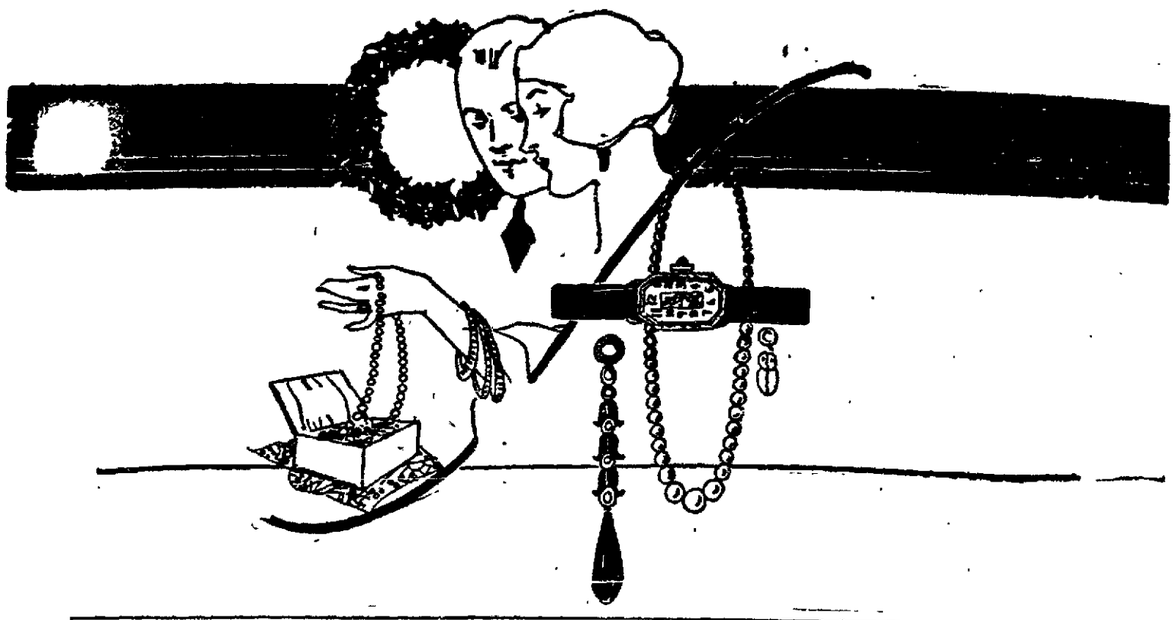

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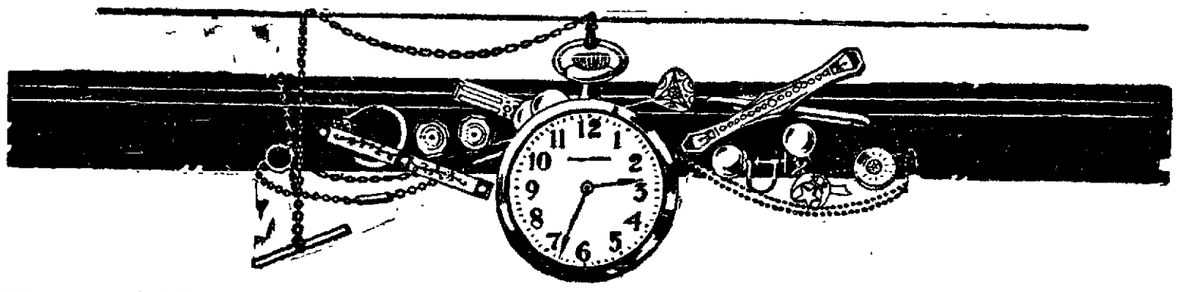

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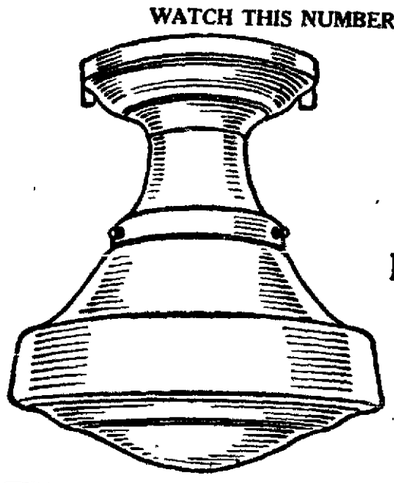

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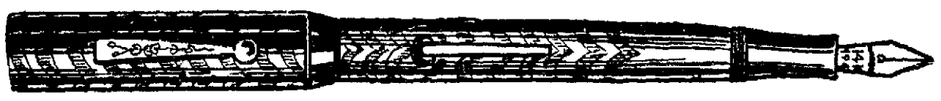

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END IS NOT YET IN SIGHT

Storm and Sanitary Systems Present Huge Problem

Nearly three million dollars spent by the taxpayers of Lima in four years and three months to give this city sewage facilities, both storm and sanitary, which will meet the demands of the Ohio state board of health—

That is the record which will have been written by the end of 1923 as revealed by B. F. Darling, engineer in charge of sewer construction for the city.

And the end is not yet, for the city still must erect its sewage disposal plant, a proposition that bids fair to be one of the bothersome problems which the new city commission must tackle after the first of the coming year.

RELIEF LINES

This system comprising relief trunk lines, intercepting and outfall sewers and pumping stations consists of 16 separate and distinct contracts ranging in cost from $30,000 to $600,000, for the Main-st and Watttown relief trunk sewer now under construction.

As to its interceptors, it is one of the most intricate of any systems in a city the size of Lima, says Engineer Darling. When completed the system practically will cover the present city limits and provide adequate sewage relief for some years to come.

Conduits which will carry the sewage and storm waters range in size as follows, Engineer Darling pointed out:

Relief trunk lines—from 15 inch vitrified pipes to the semi-circular concrete sewer on Collett-st which measures 10 ft. 7 1-2 in. by 6 ft. 6 in.

Interceptors—from 12-inch vitrified pipe to 36-inch vitrified segment block.

Outfalls—These are 54-inch vitrified segment block sewers.

EXPLAINS DIFFEREINCE

Before outlining just what work has been accomplished under the supervision of Engineer Darling it is well to get his explanation of the difference between a relief trunk line and the intercepting sewers.

The relief trunk line sewers, he said, are eleven in number, of which nine empty directly into the Ottawa river at various points, while the other two, known as No. 10 and No. 8 empty, the former into Sugar creek, and the latter into Dug run. All relief trunk sewers are designated by numbers, the engineer said while the interceptors are designated by letters.

The interceptors are what their name implies, sewers which intercept the dry weather flow. They are located on either side of the river, as the case may be, have three siphons under the river and carry the low level flow across the river to the proper sewers which will carry the sewage to the proposed disposal plant.

"The interceptors for the city of Lima are the most intricate of any city of this size," said Engineer Darling, "because of the outfalls which the city is constructing. The combination of the relief trunk line sewers, the interceptors and outfalls and the pumping stations are designed to give Lima a sewer system which take care of both storm waters and sewage, the storm waters emptying into the river and the sewage into the disposal plant when that is ready for operation."

Engineer Darling says that the first sewers of what is called "the present system," that is the one which has been ocnstructed under his direction, were designed in 1918 and 1919 and comprise contracts one to seven both included. Sewers numbered from 8 to 14, there being no No. 12 contract, together with a number of other lines of sewer districts, were designed in 1921 and the present system is the combination of these two.

The largest of these relief sewers, in point of size is that on Collett-st which measure 10 ft. 7 1-2 ins. by 6 ft. 6ins. is built of concrete and is semi circular in shape. The most costly of these is the Main-st or No. 11 sewer, which is estimated cost $600,000. The smallest relief sewer is 15 inches in diameter and is made of vitrified pipe and the smallest cost is $30,000.

THREE SIPHONS

There are three siphons in the interceptor system the engineer said, these being located at Union, Metcalf and Baxter-sts. The flow of sewage from the north end of the city to Union-st is carried to the bank of the river where the first siphon is located. Thence it goes under the river to the south bank and west along the south bank of the river to Metcalf-st where the siphon picks it up and takes it under the river to the north side again and thence to the Baxter-st pumping station. Here it is elevated by the pumps, to the 54-inch outfall sewer which will carry it to the sewage disposal plant.

The Baxter-st siphon is the high level or gravity flow siphon. The flow collected from the southern end of the city, by the Main-st and Watttown relief trunk line now under construction, goes to Baxter-st siphon and empties into the outfall sewer just west of the river where it becomes a gravity flow and goes for treatment to the disposal plant it is proposed to erect on the lower side of the Erie railroad tracks.

Contracts B, C and D, the engineer said, are for the intercepting and outfall sewers and the pumping stations. Contract B, being for the intercepting and outfall sewer. Contract C is for the Baxter-st pumping station and the one at Bellefontaine-av and Lover's Lane. Contract D is for the pumping station at the northern end of McCullough's lake and has an outfall force line thru the east end of the dyke at the lake, and down to McKibben-st where it will ultimately connect with sewer lines from the extreme northern end of the city.

Two of the relief sewers, No. 10 and No. 8 are separate storm and sanitary sewers, he said.

In starting the system a rim was made around the entire city. Engineer Darling said to determine volume of the combined flow which the river would take. Beyond this rim ejector stations will be used, these being stations in which the sewage and storm water is forced over the rim by compressed air.

The one public criticism which has been made of the work since it began was voiced by Commissioner-elect Earl C. Moyer before the League of Women Voters at their public forum the Friday night before election. He complained that the city had used, too expensive material. Commissioners H. L. Breckenridge and J. A. Harley, who also spoke at that meeting answered Moyer's criticism with the statement that they were proud that the city had spent the taxpayers' money to get the best possible sewer materials available.

Engineer Darling came to Lima in October, 1919 when the plans for the first seven relief trunk line sewers were under consideration and has had charge of the building of the relief, interceptor and outfall sewers and pumping stations ever since. In that time neither the engineer nor the contractors who had the various jobs, have had to go before the old council or the present city commission to adjust differences, so smoothly has Engineer Darling directed the work of spending nearly $3,000,000 for the city's sewer system.

CROSS PETITION COMES AS DIVORCE CASE OPENS

Trial of a divorce action instituted by Gilbert Rower, Allen hotel, against Mrs. Nellie Rower ,of Springfield, was halted in the niche of time in common pleas court Saturday.

Earl Ludwig, attorney for Mrs. Rower, learned that the action was on trial and rushed into court with an answer and cross-petition. He filed it in the clerk's office and was successful in reaching the court room before the decree had been entered.

Filing of counter charges by the wife, will delay the hearing for some time.

Cross-petition filed by Mrs. Rower purports to bare pre-nuptial love relations between the two and tells of alleged mistreatment practiced by the defendant following the marriage.

Rower in the original petition accused his wife of staying out late at nights and lack of affection for him.

There are two children belonging to the couple whose custody is sought by the mother.

PLAY COMMITTEE APPOINTED

Central Activities Hit Lull as Grid Season Ends

Enthusiasm at Central has been at a rather low ebb during the past week, due mostly to the fact that athletics are taking a back seat and dramatics and entertainments of various sorts are not yet ready for prominence.

The Troubadorian play, an annual event and one that usually attracts wide attention is beginning to come to the fore. President William Kirk of that club has apointed a committee composed of Constance Mayer, Marian Cost and Frank Cory to choose a play for the annual entertanment.

As soon as a vehicle is chosen calls for tryouts will be sounded by Miss Izora Shumaker, faculty supervisor. It is expected that around 50 members of the club will attempt to gain fame in the big play. It will be given Jan. 25 and according to present plans rehearsals will be held thruout the Chistmas vacation.

A play, "Double-Crossed" was given at the last meeting and met with success. Another one-act comedy "A Fire Alarm" will be presented at the next meeting.

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Selection of Junior class pins and rings was made Friday afternoon by a committee composed of President Morris Hughes, Margaret Nungester, Miriam Kamerer, Farrell Grove and Oliver Kirk.

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Work on the Annual Mirror is beginning to take definite form according to Robert Shaffer, editor and Richard Cantieny, business manager. All of the class pictures have been taken and football snapshots are practically completed. About one-third of the individual pictures of the senior class have been taken, Shaffer says.

Art students will start work on posters for the publication this week according to Herbert Wise, president of the Art club.

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Frank Brewer, noted eastern painter who originally signed to appear here with his exhibit on Nov. 23 and who postponed it until December 10, is again detained and will not be in Lima until Jan. 15 or thereabouts, according to Herbert Wise, president of the Art club, which is sponsoring the exhibit.

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On an average of 300 students daily, took their meals at the Central high cafeteria during it's first week of business, according to Miss Dorothy Yelton, head of the domestic science department and director of the cafeteria.

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Announcement has been made by Prof. R. E. Offenhauer that Dr. H. C. Bennett, has donated a set of 50 books of the Geological survey to the Central library. The books are considered the best authority on American geological formations.

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A silver loving cup presented by the class of 1921, to the class winning the annual field meet has been replaced in the Central high trophy case, this time with the class of '25 engraved upon it. The juniors won the cup by carrying away honors in the class meet held early in October.

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"Be it resolved, that the United States should immediately join the League of Nations" will be debated at the senate meeting Wednesday. Senators Fritz and Dole will have the affirmative side while Stanyer and Doan will uphold the negative.

KIWANIS TO ELECT

OTTAWA.—The annual election of officers of the Kiwanis club will be held Monday at the dinner meeting at 6:30 p. m. at Hotel DuMont.

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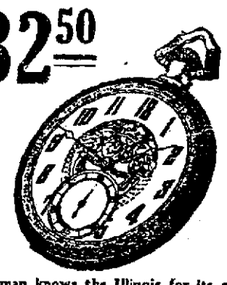

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repares Reports on European Farming Conditions

Hugh J. Ridge, county farm agent of Allen-co, and Dr. E. S. Augsburger, veterinary inspector, Saturday visited leaders in five school districts of Jackson-tp in connection with the work of testing herds for tuberculosis. Leaders in the five districts visited are: E. E. McElwain, chairman of the township, J. W. Eversole, Paul Long, George Long, Virgil May and Don Evresole.

Testing will begin in Jackson-tp Monday. Large number of farmers have signed up for the test and it is likely that more than 1,000 head of cattle will be tested in the entire township.

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Secretary Lincoln of the Ohio Farm Federation, who returned to this country Friday after an extensive visit to Europe made for the purpose of investigating farm conditions, is preparing a number of interesting reports concerning the relationship between the American farmer and those of Europe.

Perhaps one of the most interesting reports during his trip was concerning the farmer in Denmark. He says farmers belong to a large number of cooperative associations, and that most products are marketed thru such organizations.

He reports:

"All that we hear about cooperation here is true and then some. Everything is organized and it is not uncommon for a Danish farmer to belong to 20 or more different associations. All are on the commodity principle. In England they tried to have one association do everything—buy and sell—for the farmer and failed, but the commodity plan seems to win out."

"Eighty-five per cent of all dairy products are handled cooperatively in Denmark. Eighty to ninety per cent of all farmers deliver their bacon to coops, and more interesting still—many farmers sign a binding contract for life. No withdrawal clause and courts have sustained same many times."

Denmark has a system of county agents which are hired directly by agricultural societies and the government pays 50 per cent salary but has no jurisdiction over the agent. The agent makes a written report to the government only.

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Director Williams, of the Ohio Agricultural Experiment station, in a discussion of farm prices pointed out the advantages of diversified as compared with specialized farming.

No one, he said, can forecast the yield or price of a crop. Since weather conditions and many other factors which influence yield are beyond our control, occasional crop failures are inevitable. Prices are largely influenced by supply and this can not be partially regulated in advance.

Unfortunate is the farmer who depends upon one crop, when that crop fails or the price is low. The present situation among wheat farmers of the northwest was cited in proof. On the other hand, the farmer who grows a diversity of crops is never at the mercy of one, for when that crop fails others may be good. In fact this is the rule as shown by several examples such as 1912. In that year the wheat yield was the lowest in years but the oat crop was exceptionally good and the corn crop was best in years.

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If a farmer has an excess of corn, how much, in view of the shrinkage should he sell it later on in order to realize the equivalent of the present market price, say 80 cents a bu?

There is a problem which Experiment Station agronomists have worked out by making moisture tetss at monthly intervals on samples of each crop for eight years.

Among other possible losses the price at a given time will depend on the moisture content of the corn. This year much of the corn from the shocks is running 30 per cent or more moisture.

On the basis of the Experiment Station shrinkage tests, to equal 80 cents at husking time, the farmer would need to receive 81 cents January 1, 82 cents March 1, 85 cents April 1, 89 cents May 1, and 91 or 92 cents during the summer. In October the price of old corn begins to drop due to the absorption of moisture.

RECORDER'S AIDS NAMED

Bluffton and Marion-tp Men Get Deputy Posts

Appointment of E. J. H. Runninger, Bluffton, and Jess Cochran, Marion-tp, as deputy recorders, effective Jan. 1, was announced Saturday by Glen I. Wallace, recorder.

The two appointments, Wallace declared were made on the basis of indorsements by the Republican county central committee some time ago.

With the accession of Runninger and Cochran to office, Byrle Critz and Arthur Staup, Democratic appointees under Clyde Custer, former recorder, will retire. The two were held over by John J. Wyre, late recorder, when he took office the first Monday in September.

No other changes will be made in the office personnel at the present time, Wallace declared.

Enlargement of the recorder's office by partitioning off the north corridor on the second floor of the courthouse is practically completed.

The increase in floor space was necessitated by the rapidly increasing business which is coming to the office.

DRY LINES WILL BE TIGHTENED

City and County Officials Learn More About Powers

PADLOCK LAW IS FAVORED

Action Must be Taken Thru Court, Lanker Hears

General tightening up all along the ranks of prohibition enforcement in Allen-co was predicted Saturday by authorities as the result of Governor Donahey's law enforcement conference at Columbus.

Altho no definite policy of law enforcement was outlined to delegates to the meeting, it was learned they have come to a better understanding with state officials as to their ultimate authority in waging war against bootleggers.

Invocation of the "padlock" law looms as the chief offensive weapon in contemplated liquor crusades in Lima. Complete information relative to its enforcement was obtained by county and city officials for discussion at a joint conference expected to be called within the near future.

Cooperation of state authorities with county and state officials was promised at the conclave, indicating that renewed efforts will be exerted thruout the state for better law enforcement.

MANY AFFECTED

Many soft drink cafes would be closed in Lima should the state padlock law be invoked. While Police Chief T. A. Lanker gave no definite statement as to the number, from court records it was gleaned that perhaps half of the cafes now operating would be closed.

Enactment of the padlock law as explained after return of Prosecutor Eugene Lippincott, Sheriff Harvey Crosson, Judge Neil R. Poling and Police Chief T. A. Lanker entails procedure in common pleas court and the eventual granting of injunctions.

To close a resort a petition must be filed in common pleas court for a temporary injunction. The petition must give the name of the lessee of the building, owner of the premises and the date the violation of the liquor law was committed. Disposition of the case must be shown for information of the judge.

Should the temporary injunction be granted the place would be barred pending final hearing on an application for a permanent injunction which, if granted, would be enforced for one year, it was announced.

During the year the persons cited in the injunction would be prohibited from removing any of the property in the building or re-opening the place for any other business.

WELLINGTON TAKEN

Bernard Wellington, 28, wanted in Dayton on a count of non-support, was taken here Friday upon request of Dayton authorities. He was returned to that city Saturday.

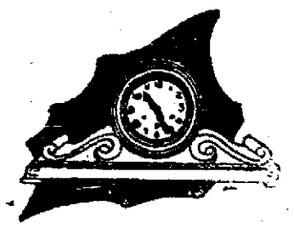
HUNTING LICENSES HIT 3,600 MARK IN COUNTY

Sale of hunting licenses for 1923 may exceed the 4,000 mark if good rabbit hunting weather sets in before Jan. 1, John T. Cotner, clerk of courts, reports. Up to date, 3,600 licenses have been sold in the county, records show.

All licenses will expire Jan. 1. On that date, Cotner says, a considerable number of renewals are made annually by trappers who are engaged in capturing fur bearing animals for the market.

WOMAN FINED

MARYSVILLE—Mrs. Laura Kimball, proprietor of a grocery store, pleaded guilty Saturday before Judge Cameron to selling Jamaica ginger for beverage purposes and was fined $100 and costs.



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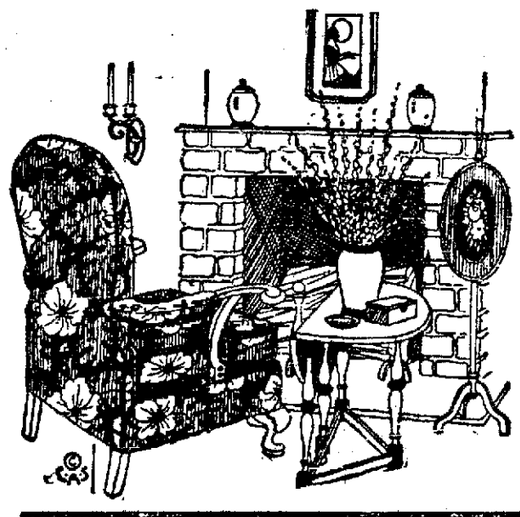

By dealing with us you have advantage of a policy that results in great savings for you. This policy, "Volume of Business, not Margin of Profit" is based on an economic law. It takes just as much money for rent, light, heat, salaries and all if we sell a little furniture or if we sell a great amount. Therefore if we increase our business and the expenses are no higher, we can afford to cut down our profits. That is why we are running these remarkable Christmas specials.

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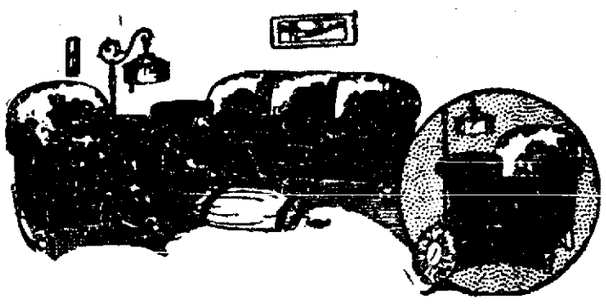

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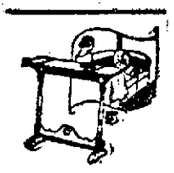

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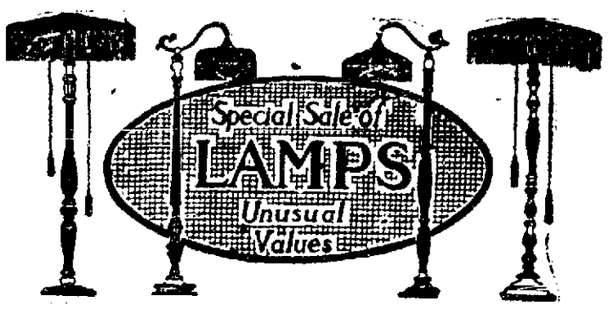

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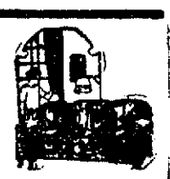

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Silk Night Gowns—Radium Georgette and Crepe tailored hand embroidered and lace trimmed. Colors, peach, orchid, honey dew, blue and flesh.

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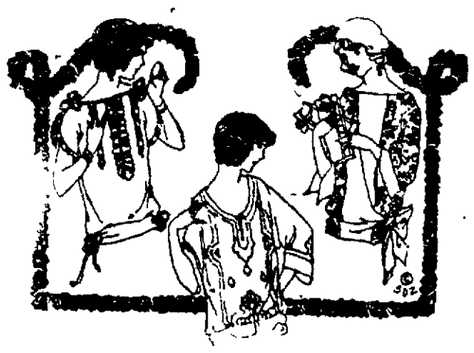

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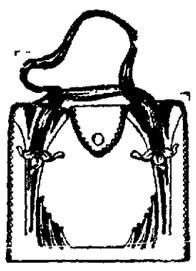

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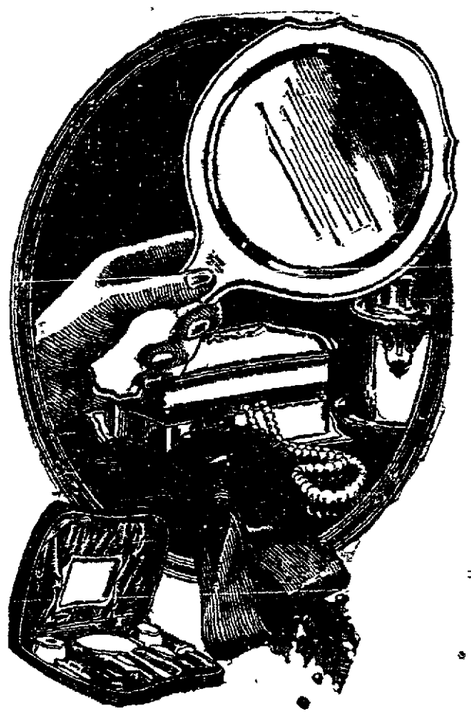

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SPIRIT OF SEASON CAROLS WAY INTO SOCIAL ACTIVITIES

Popular Oratorio, Gaul's "The Holy City," to be Sung at Bethany Lutheran Church Dec. 16, One of First Holiday Treats

Cantata, "The Messiah," Another Offering of Promise, Will be Given at Memorial Hall, Dec. 23, by Kiwanis Harmonic Club

(BY HOPE HOLLISTER)

WITH the holidays swiftly approaching, thoughts are naturally turning to the observance of Christmas, the time of reoicing, of merry-making, of giving and of music. At no other ime of the year is music so lovely and there are few who do iot avail themselves of every opportunity to hear the city's talnted musicians in their Yuletide recital.s

One of the first of the Christmas musical services, will be t Bethany Lutheran church Sunday, December 16th, at 4 p. m. iaul's "The Holy City," the well-known and well-liked oratorio, rill be given by the choir of that church, under the direction of Irs. Clarence Klinger. They will be assisted by a group of local rtists, who are, Miss Blanche Finicle and Miss Marguerite loyer, sopranos; Miss Vera Rousculp and Mrs. Maude Thompson, ontraltos; Rolla Mikesell and red Welty, tenors, and Theoore DeWeese and George Borners, basses. Luther Spayde ill preside at the organ. This esentation of "The Holy City" ll no doubt be very beautiful.

Local musicians will take part in e Christmas cantata, "The Mesih," to be given by the Kiwanis armonic club at Memorial hall, nday, December 23rd. There will other Christmas song services at e various churches, which will fill e hearts of all with the proper ristmas spirit.

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Friends will be interested to hear the engagement of Mrs. Maud tthews, 138 N. Charles-st, and . Harry L. Solomon, of the Lima b, which has just been informy announced. The marriage of s. Mathews and Mr. Solomon will an event of next summer. Irs. Mathews is prominent in b and social circles of city and Solomon is connected with the onial Finance Co.

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Iiss Janet Sealts, daughter of . Cleta Sealts, W. Elm-st, pred at an attractive luncheon at Elks home on Saturday, in celeion of her eleventh birthday anrsary. The table was very ty in its Christmas decorations. en red candles in crystal holders, ming the centerpiece. Unique rs were given the guests. ollowing the luncheon, Mrs. ts chaperoned the guests at the rnoon's performance of the rot.

uests were Misses Betty and es Breese, Mary Elizabeth Hov- Alice Jacobs, Hildegrade Thomp- Vivian Bridenbaker, Rhea), Jean Hunter, Mary Mulcahy, Merton Sealts, Jr.

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rs. Harry Flack, E. Eureka-st, be hostess to the members of Blue Bell club on Thursday aftn.

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e annual Christmas party of the bers of the Encore club will be Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Ed- C. Watson, 831 W. Spring-st, be the hostess at this time.

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' and Mrs. J. J. Butchin, 765 st, entertained at dinner at home Wednesday evening. vers were laid for Mrs. A. J. ', Mrs. A. J. Wheelbarger, Mrs. les Steel, Mrs. Cloyd Bowers, Guy Thompson, Mrs. W. H. ., Mrs. H. N. Walsmith and C. C. Langley and daughter of go.

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e C. W. B. M. of the South Side h of Christ will hold its regular ng with Mrs. J. M. Ridenour, S. al-st, Wednesday afternoon at ock. Mrs. J. J. Rankin will charge of the devotionals.

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. Terry Leffel entertained the ers of the Cynosure Bridge at her home on St. Johns-av, day evening. At the concluof the card games, Mrs. Frank le and Mrs. Wilbur Leffel held scores. The hostess served a two-course luncheon. club will meet in two weeks Mrs. R. D. Chamberlain, N. ington-st.

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. J. B. Holmes, Harrison, av, ained the members of the Mysclub at her home, Thursday aft. Needlework and music were d during the afternoon and hostess served a two-course on at 4:30 o'clock. club will meet in two weeks Mrs. Wendell Friend, N. Main-

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nbers of the Armistice club eet with Mrs. Elizabeth Stick- N. West-st, Wednesday after-

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Dorothy Hensler will enterhe members of the Tri Theta y at her home, 409 N. Pierceonday evening.

Mrs. Allen Metheany, president of the King's Daughters of the First Reformed church, will have charge of the annual Christmas party to be held by the society at the parish house, Tuesday evening. The annual election of officers will be held at this time and a good attendance is desired.

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Mrs. N. W. Swanger, E. Franklin-st, opened her home Tuesday afternoon for a delightful meeting of the Aloha club. Roll call was answered with Christmas quotations. Vocal solos were given by Mrs. J. F. Jones, accompanied by Miss Gae Morton, pianist. A two-course luncheon was served by the hostess at 4:30 oclock.

Guests at the meeting were Mrs. J. F. Jones, Miss Gae Morton, Mrs. Frank Morris, Mrs. B. F. Schurz, of Marion and Mrs. M. C. Gast of Prospect.

The club will meet in two weeks with Mrs. N. S. Hall, W. Spring-st. The annual "grab-bag" will be enjoyed at this time.

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Mrs. A. W. Webster of Cleveland will arrive on Sunday to be the guest for a few days of Mrs. George Vicary, W. Market-st.

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Mrs. Lester May, 112 Sanford-av, will entertain the members of the Coterie club at her home, Tuesday afternoon. A bake sale among the members of the club will be held.

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Mrs. Paul Sells, S. Cole-st, entertained the members of the Apollo Bridge club at her home. Wednesday evening. In the bridge games, Mrs. Fred Winkler and Mrs. Charles Alexander held high scores and Miss Ada Ransbottom, low. The hostess served a two-course luncheon

The club will meet in two weeks with Mrs. Ernest DeVoe, Leland-av.

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Mrs. Frederick Voss, N. Collett-st, entertained the members of the Chi Sigma sorority at her home, Thursday evening. Bridge was the evening's diversion and at the conclusion of the games, Mrs. Francis O'Connor held high score among the guests and Mrs. John Guhman among the club members. A two-course luncheon was served by the hostess.

Guests other than the club members were Mrs. Jean Hollenbeck, Mrs. Vernon Fisher, Mrs. Francis O'Connor, Mrs. Val Kohl and Miss Helen McGinnis.

The club will meet next Wednesday evening with Mrs. Frank Callahan, W. McKibben-st.

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Mrs. Charles Willower. Bellefontaine-av, will entertain the members of the Avalonta club at her home at a one o'clock luncheon on Tuesday.

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Mrs. W. E. McMillan and her assistants arranged the delightful program given at the meeting of the Ladies' Aid society of the First Baptist church in the church parlors, Friday afternoon. Miss Esther Lynch gave a piano solo and Mrs. C. E. Teegardin gave a vocal solo accompanied by Mrs. Warren Steeves, pianist. Little Jean Snyder gave a pleasing recitation. Mrs. Harry Walters and Mrs. J. W. Laudick gave a vocal duet, accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Charles Thomas.

Tea was served by the women in charge at five o'clock.

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Mrs. A. E. Gale will be hostess to the members of the Iris Bridge club at her home on N. Washington-st, Friday afternoon.

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Mrs. Ira Klinger. N. Baxter-st will preside at a one o'clock luncheon at her home on Tuesday, entertaining members of the Von Bora Circle of the Zion Lutheran church.

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Mrs. Harry Shockey, 216 S. Scott-st, will entertain the members of the Best Yette club at her home, Thursday afternoon. Plans will be made for the filling of Christmas baskets for the poor at this time.

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Mr. and Mrs. Mack Altschul, Barr Hotel, left Saturday for a ten days' stay in New York City.

IN SOUTH HIGH PLAY

MISS IOLA ROTHLISBERGER — Photos by Allemeier — MISS MARGARET FENSLER — MISS GLADYS FREDERICK

Appearing above are three South High girls who took prominent parts in the Ye Merry Players Dramatic club play, "Miss Somebody Else," given at Central High School Auditorium, last Friday evening. Miss Margaret Fensler, who had the title role, played her part perfectly and her winning personality and attractiveness charmed the audience. Miss Gladys Frederick took the part of Mrs. Delavan, manager of the Tuxedobrook Club House, most admirably and was very well suited for the part. The role of Mrs. Delavan's daughter, Miss Mildred, was played by Miss Iola Rothlisberger, who was splendid.

Miss Rothlisberger, Miss Fensler and Miss Frederick will all graduate from South High school this coming June.

Members of the Agenda club will be entertained by Mrs. Harry Nulf, E. Vine-st, Wednesday afternoon.

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Miss Ethel Matthews of Chicago is the guest of Miss Irene Adler, S Metcalf-st.

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There will be a meeting of the Daughters of Veterans at Memorial Hall, Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Annual election of officers is to be held.

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The regular monthly meeting of the Women's Home Missionary society of the Grace M. E. church will be held at the home of Mrs. C. W. Brookhart, 519 Ontario-st, Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. R. D. Hubbard will have charge of the afternoon's lesson and Mrs. G. E. Roudebush will tell a Christmas story. A duet will be sung by Mrs. J. E. DeVoe anh Mrs. C. C. Cook.

Arrangements will be made at this time for a Christmas box to be sent to a minister's family in Tennessee.

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Members of the Stitchery club will enjoy a one o'clock luncheon at the Hotel Argonne on Thurrday. Bridge will be the afternoon's diversion.

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The Royal Circle class of Bethany Lutheran Sunday school will meet with Mrs. O. J. Greiwe 1120 Hazel-av., Tuesday evening.

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Mrs. Ortho McMillen held high score in the bridge games and Mrs. L. N. Dickensheets in the euchre games at the benefit card party held at the Moose Home Friday afternoon under the auspices of the L. C. T. Social club. Thirty tables were filled for play.

At four o'clock a short musical program was given, vocal solos being given by Dale Marshall, Clement O'Boyle, Thomas Mahoney and Carl Minaugh. Miss Anna Cantwell accompanied them.

Tea was served.

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Miss Margaret Simpson, State-st, will be hostess to the members of the Mah Jong club at her home, Monday evening.

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Mrs. Frank Butters, Lakewood-av, will be hostess to the members of the Altrurian club at her home, Friday afternoon. Mrs. C. A. Rowand will have a paper on "Under the Stars and Stripes," and Mrs. E. N. Warden will speak on "Under the Old Regime." The Philipine Islands will be studied.

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"The Comedy of Errors" will be presented by the members of the Shakespeare Study club at their regular semi-monthly meeting to be held on Thursday at the Public Library. Mrs. Winona V. Forrer is the director of the play and Mrs. G. W. Warfield, the costumer.

The women who will take part are Mrs. Phil Crow, Mrs. Foss Zaftman, Mrs. Beecher Moke, Mrs. C. O. Eysenbach, Mrs. Orin King, Mrs. J. E. Collins, Mrs. C. E. Shockey, Mrs. Emmett Everett, Mrs. C. C. Gilliland, Mrs. C. O, Scheide, Mrs. A. N. Wisely and Miss Grace Reynolds.

The play will begin at 2:30 o'clock.

Mrs. M. U. Basinger, W. Spring-st, will be hostess to the members of Bay View Study club at her home, Monday afternoon. Mrs. W. J. Fitzgerald, Mrs. C. W. Heister and Mrs. Julia Simpson will be the assistant hostesses.

Mrs. E. G. Weadock will tell the Christmas story from "Don Quixote" and Mrs. Abner Jones will have a paper on "Moorish Literature". Mrs. F. H. Foust will have a paper on "History of Spanish Literature".

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Members of the Wimodaughsis Circle will hold a Christmas party at the home of Mrs. E. O. Sellers, Leland-av, on Friday afternoon.

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Mrs. Phil M. Crow will entertain the members of the Arbutus club in the parlors of the Hotel Barr, Monday afternoon. It will be current event day and Mrs. F. E. Meade and Mrs. A. B. Gray will be the leaders.

On the program will be Mrs. F. C. Beam, Mrs. Virgil Knisely, Mrs. S. S. Lawson, Mrs. Charles Clark and Mrs. W. L. Mackenzie.

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Members of the program committee will be the hostesses at the meeting of the Twentieth Century club on Monday evening. Mrs. A. A. Dole, chairman of the program committee, will extend the hospitality of her home on Brice-av, for the affair. There will be Christmas music furnished by Mrs. J. R. Meily and Mrs. C. S. Troutman will tell a Christmas story.

Roll call will be answered with biblical quotations.

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Mrs. M. C. King, Mrs. E. E. Hay and Mrs. W. H. Howell will be hostesses at the meeting of the U. C. T. Social club to be held next Saturday afternoon. The annual Christmas exchange will take place.

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Mrs. John Williams of Middletown was the guest for a short time last week of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Kriete and Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Williams.

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Miss Ruth Barndt, Richie-av, entertained the members of the Swastika Five Hundred club at her home, Wednesday evening. At the conclusion of the playing, Mrs John Royer held high score among the members and Miss Mary Quinlan among the guests. The hostess served a two-course luncheon at a late hour.

Guests, other than the meeting, were, Miss Berneta Stager, Miss Myrtle Haege, Miss Florence Jones, Miss Mary Quinlan, Miss Blanche Feth, Miss Donna Shealy and Miss Eleanor Quinlan.

Miss Hazel Stewart, E. Second-st, will entertain the club in two weeks.

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Announcement has been made of the marriage of Miss Neva F. Wilson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Wilson, 426 N. Washington-st, and Donald Preston McQuire of Nevada, Mo., which took place in Monroe, Mich., December 7th. Mr. and Mrs. McQuire will make their home with the bride's parents for the present, later going West to make their home.

Mrs. Fim Taylor entertained the members of the Iris club at an all day meeting on Wednesday. Luncheon was at one o'clock after which there were contests held, in which Mrs. Fred Sponhauer, Mrs. Donald Lutz and Mrs. N. S. Stedke were successful.

Mrs. Virgil Taylor was an only guest.

Mrs. Fred Spanhauer, Ontario-st, will entertain the club in two weeks.

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The Ada Boyd Missionary Circle of the South Side Church of Christ will meet Tuesday evening with Mrs. Charles Henderschott, E. Kibby-st. Mrs. R. G. Goebel and Mrs. Emmett Clark will be the assistant hostesses.

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Members of the Women's Missionary society of Bethany Lutheran church will meet with Mrs. Louisa S. Miller, 415 W. Spring-st, Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Pugh were pleasantly surprised at their home, 123 McClure-st, Friday evening when a group of friends arrived to help them celebrate their birthday anniversaries. Contests and games were enjoyed and a buffet luncheon was served.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. F. E. McClure, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Steup and family, Mr. and Mrs. David Klinger and daughter, Rosabelle, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Martin, Mr. Eldon Arnold, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Boedicker. Mr. and Mrs. Glen Binkley and son, Walter, Mr. Carl Basset, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Varvel and daughter, Mary, of this city and the following from Beaver Dam, Mr. and Mrs. Lester McIlvain, and son, Robert, Mr. and Mrs. Gale Arnold and family. Mr. and Mrs. Mell Arnold, Mr. and Mr.s Roy Arnold and family and Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Arnold.

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A program of readings, pantomines, musical numbers and dances will be given by a group of talented children, the majority of them former pupils of Miss Esther R. Toy. All of these young children have apeared in recitals at various times, and always delight their audiences.

Mrs C. E. Miller is president of the Modern Dorcas Society and Mrs. Charles Randolph, secretary and treasurer.

The program to be given Monday evening follows:

Reading .... Frances Erskine
Pantomine .... All
Reading .... Selma Mervis
Musical Reading .. ..
.... Dorothy Ruth Ebling
Piano Solo .... Norman Mervis
M. Reading .... Mary Lou DeTurk and Sue Reynolds
Dance .... Marilynn Rose Corbett
Reading .... Frances Erskine
Reading ...... Mary Lou Murphy
Piano Solo .... George Tait
Dance .... Frances Brodbeck
Music Read. ....
.... Marilynn Rose Corbett
Reading .... Dorothy Ruth Ebling
Music, Read. ... Frances Brodbeck
Reading .. Anna Floring Randolph
Piano Solo ...... William Haneke
Music Read. ..... Mary Lou Murphy
Dance .... Mary Lou DeTurk
Reading .... Selma Mervis
Piano Solo ....
.... Anna Floring Randolph
Song .... All
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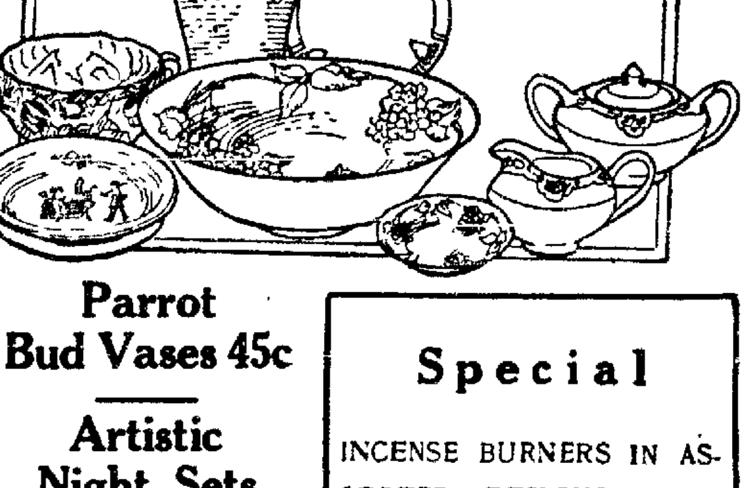

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BY NINA WILCOX PUTNAM
Noted Author and Women's Leader

I WAS making the remark the other day, to George, that's my husband, that it certainly is strange how nature works, everything comes in what you might call its season. And he says why I don't know, lookit greenhouses and the way they raise hot-house carrots and so forth. I guess you don't realize it, but some people are even raising hot-house eggs by lighting up the hen-coops; I guess modern invention has got nature beat all right, what were you referring to in particular? And I says why I was just today noticing that even stamps is seasonal, of course we have the hardy perennial pink two-scenter which adorns our dailymail, all the year around but there is also the early autumn five-cent stamp that commences to grow profuse around the time we start writing longer fatter letters home in anticipation of a merry Christmas present or two. And what I was thinking of just now was these Christmas seals. And George, who is of a very suspicious nature, at once looked nervously over the top of the evening paper and says Christmas seals ,whatter you mean, haven't I told you we are broke and there was nothing doing this Christmas on any seal coat? And I says isn't that just like a man, here as usual you are not paying any attention to what I'm saying, nobody mentioned Christmas seal coats, I'm talking about stamps in season, and I mean these Merry Tuberculosis Christmas seals that you stick them on the rear side of your letters. And George says oh bosh! well we can't afford them, either. And I says listen Gorgeous you can't afford not to afford them, because one of the best ways to lick Tuberculosis is to lick on a big sheet of them seals every time they are in season which is now. And George says aw poo, do you think them big organizations really do any good with that money? And I says you bet your sweet life they do, and nobody is getting any profit out of this Tubercular one, except the patients they treat, and the ones they keep from becoming patients. It's just another case, Gorgeous, of a bunch of decent minded citizens getting together to do the government's work without any of the fancy titles of a government position. I wish you would take a bunch of them stamps and use them, too.

And George says uhuh! and made a dive for the paper again. But I was wise to that, because with George, the same as with most husbands, when they merely say uhuh they forget it promptly.

"Say, Gorgeous," I says very loud and clear, "Do you realize that our Junior is going to a public school, that he rides on the public subway and plays on the public street? How would you feel if he was to pick up one of these Tuberculosis germs, eh?"

Well, there are times when George seems to realize Junior is human, altho a good part of the day all he says to the poor young one is to stop it, don't do that, what are you looking for, a licking? Or words to the same effect. But this was one of the moments when George seemed to see Junior as a citizen with rights. He actually put down the paper and, what was even further, put his hand in his pocket—the pocket where the nest-eggs is—the only egg that the male bird of the human species sits on, and George carries it in the hip pocket, where it is hard to get at, the same as many other tired business men do.

"Well, says he, "I guess you better buy a few dollars worth of them Christmas seals, after all. It certainly is cheaper in the end to buy a few every year, than a doctor's bill would be, and, as the saying goes, who knows?"

Christmas to some may mean just snow and evergreen and holly gifts. To some it may mean sorrow, to others joy. Yet there is no reason why this greatest of all holidays should not be a happy inspiration to all of us alike—rich and poor, healthy and sick. Since it is the season of giving, of unselfishness and love, what is more commendable than the annual efforts of those who seek to share their happiness with others who have little of it thru the year? This the Red Cross, Anti-Tuberculosis League and other similar organizations have sought every year thru their sale of Christmas seals, the proceeds spent for the radiation of happiness among the tubercular. Your co-operation is needed. Buy Christmas Anti-Tuberculosis seals and place them on every piece of mail you post during this festive season.

EVERYBODY BUYS CHRISTMAS SEALS, ESPECIALLY FROM AS PRETTY A TOT AS THIS.

Society News

The annual Christmas meeting of the Women's Home Missionary Society of the Trinity M. E. church will be held on Wednesday in the church parlors. Hostesses will be Mrs. E. J. Crail, Mrs. B. M. Allen and Mrs. George Ambrose.

The topic of the afternoon will be "Migrant Work: Domestic Science in Industrial Homes". Mrs. B. A. Gramm will be in charge of the devotionals and the lesson for the meeting, chapter two of "Saving Young Bodies" is in charge of Mrs. R. L. Evans assisted by Mrs. W. H. Merrill and Mrs. A. C. Adams. Miss Aileen Scott will play a violin solo and Miss Glenna Marie Hobart a piano solo.

The social hour will be in charge of Miss Lillian Gottfried, Mrs. F. N. Allen, Mrs. Edward Kriete and their committee.

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Little Miss Maxine Hoever was pleasantly surprised at her home Thursday evening when a group of playmates arrived to help her celebrate her ninth birthday anniversary. Games and contests were enjoyed and a two-course luncheon was served.

Those present were Lucille Moneer, Gayle Mason, Georgianna Pen, Mary Pen, Maudie May Wikel and Druzilla Wikel, Audrey Hall, Fay Evelyn Dill, Pauline Tullis, Marcella Schlegel, Mamie Johnson, Wilma Bartlett, Lavon, Margery and Imogene Priddy, Gaynell Baughman, George Gottfried, Cletis Hall, Eugene Ruff, Donald Hall, Virgil Hoffman, Theodore Moneer, Russell Allen, Harry McGue, Lester and Alvin Mathers and Robert Killian.

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"National Folk and Negro Music" will be studied at the meeting of the Etude club to be held Tuesday morning at the home of Mrs. J. E. Evans, W. North-st. Mrs. Ralph Shrider will be the leader.

Mrs. J. R. Meily will sing a group of negro songs and Mrs. C. S. Baxter, Mrs. Charles Black and Mrs. R. O. Woods will sing several trio numbers. Mrs. Gale Dunifon, Mrs. Andrew Dimond and Mrs. Harry Macdonald will play.

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The regular fortnightly gathering of the members of the London Bridge club will be held Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Morgan N. Davis, hostess at her home, 421 N. Collett-st.

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Miss Lena Schnable, 314 W. Wayne-st, will entertain the members of the Queen Esther Circle of Calvary Reformed church at her home, Tuesday evening.

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Mrs. Robert Mohr, N. Main-st, will be hostess to the members of the Non-Tolis Bridge club on Monday. Luncheon will be at one o'clock.

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The regular semi-monthly meeting of the Delta Sigma sorority will be held on Monday evening with Miss Eloise Cunningham, S. Collett-st, as hostess.

Mrs. W. C. Johnston will open her country home on the Ridge road Wednesday afternoon for the regular monthly meeting of the Harrod Country club. Roll call will be answered with Christmas quotations and Mrs. Charles Cochensparger will read a Christmas story.

SOCIAL CALENDAR

MONDAY

Non-Tolis Bridge club, Mrs. Robert Mohr, one o'clock luncheon.
Bay View Study club, Mrs. M. U. Basinger, afternoon.
Arbutus club, Mrs. Phil Crow, Hotel Barr, afternoon.
Temple Sisterhood, Mrs. Emil Asher, afternoon.
Circle No. 12 of Trinity M. E. church, Mrs. A. E. Gale, afternoon.
Delta Sigma sorority, Miss Eloise Cunningham, evening.
Mah Jong club, Miss Margaret Simpson, evening.
Philomathean club, Mrs. W. D. Woods, evening.
Twentieth Century club, Mrs. A. A. Dole, evening.
Tri Theta sorority, Miss Dorothy Hensler, evening.
Lucky Twelve club, Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Smith, evening.
Interlude Bridge club, Miss Florence Hughes, evening.
Program to be presented at Y. W. C. A. under auspices of Modern Dorcas Society, 8 p. m.

TUESDAY

Etude club, Mrs. J. E. Evans, morning.
West-End Bridge club, Mrs. C. F. Lufkin, Elks home, 1 o'clock.
Stitchery club, Hotel Argonne, 1 o'clock.
Encore club, Mrs. E. C. Watson, afternoon.
Avalonta club, Mrs. Charles Willower, 1 o'clock.
Women's Board of Managers of Tuberculosis Hospital, Public Library, afternoon.
Coterie club, Mrs. Lester May, afternoon.
Von Bora Circle of Zion Lutheran church, Mrs. Ira Klinger, 1 o'clock.
Frances Willard Union, Mrs. J. C. Kelly, afternoon.
Art Study club, postponed.
Queen Esther Circle of Calvary Reformed church, Miss Lena Schnable, evening.
Luther League, Miss Lucille Ruhlen, 7:30 o'clock.
King's Daughters of First Reformed church, parish house, evening.
Loyal Circle class of Bethany Lutheran church, Mrs. O. J. Greiwe, evening.
Otterbein Guild of High Street U. B. church, 7:30 o'clock.
Daughters of Veterans, Memorial Hall, 7:30 o'clock.
Paramount Dinner club, Mr. and Mrs. John Miller, 6:30 o'clock.
Ada Boyd Circle of South Side Church of Christ, Mrs. Charles Henderschott, evening.

WEDNESDAY

Delphian club, Mrs. Lynn Timmerman, afternoon.
Ladies' Aid Society of Epworth M. E. church, Mrs. Harry Bryan, afternoon.
Young Ladies' Aid of Market Street Presbyterian church, Mrs. Frank Steiner, afternoon.
Armistice club, Mrs. Elizabeth Sticknell, afternoon.
Agenda club, Mrs. Harry Nulf, afternoon.
Harrod Country club, Mrs. W. C. Johnston, afternoon.
Women's Missionary society of Calvary Reformed church, Mrs. Martin Blosser, afternoon.
C. W. B. M. South Side Church of Christ, Mrs. J. M. Ridenour, 2 o'clock.
Women's Missionary Society of Bethany Lutheran church, Mrs. Louisa Miller, afternoon.
Women's Home Missionary Society, Trinity M. E. church parlors, afternoon.

THURSDAY

Shakespeare Study club, Public Library, afternoon.
London Bridge club, Mrs. Morgan Davis, afternoon.
Cotta Circle of Zion Lutheran church, Mrs. D. O. White, afternoon.
Blue Bell club, Mrs. Harry Flack, afternoon.
Yette club, Mrs. Harry Shockey, afternoon.
Dorcas Circle of Zion Lutheran church, Mrs. L. O. Trempert, afternoon.
St. Martha's Guild to hold Christmas bazaar, parish house.

FRIDAY

Altrurian club, Mrs. Frank Butters, afternoon.
Iris club, Mrs. A. E. Gale, afternoon.
Crescent club, Mrs. Clarence Mumaugh, one o'clock.

SATURDAY

U. C. T. Social club, at hall, afternoon.

Members of the Francis Willard Union will meet Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. J. C. Kelly, E. Franklin-st. Mrs. L. H. Rogers will be in charge of devotionals and Mrs. F. H. Moore will tell a Christmas story. There will be special Christmas music.

Mrs. T. C. Morrison and Mrs. E. T. Fenwick will be assistant hostesses.

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Mrs. C. F. Lufkin, Marquette-apts, W. Market-st, will entertain the members of the West-End Bridge club at a one o'clock luncheon at the Elks home on Tuesday. Bridge will follow.

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The Trinity Chapter of the Eastern Star will enjoy a covered dish dinner at their hall, Wednesday evening. The dinner will be followed by the election of officers and installation.

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Members of the omen's Missionary Society of the Calvary Reformed church will hold their regular monthly meeting on Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Martin Blosser, 776 W. Wayne-st. A good attendance is desired.

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Mrs. H. J. Carnes, Richie-av, welcomed the members of the Comitas Five Hundred club to her home, Thursday afternoon. At the conclusion of the card games, Mrs. Thomas Peate held high score among the members and Mrs. Howard Miller among the guests. Mrs. Miller and Mrs. Frank Bagnell were guests of the afternoon.

A two-course tea was served by Mrs. Carnes at 5 o'clock.

The club will meet in two weeks with Mrs. L. C. Mendenhall, W. North-st.

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Mr. and Mrs. John Miller, Hazel-av, will entertain the members of the Paramount Dinner club at their home, Tuesday evening, at 6:30 o'clock.

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Miss Lucille Ruhlin will open her home, 744 N. Elizabeth-st, for the regular meeting of the Luther League, Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Miss Lavon Neely, Brice-av, entertained the members of the T. J. K. club at her home, Friday evening. Euchre was enjoyed with Miss Frances Maurer holding high score among the members and Miss Lenore Mason among the guests. Miss Ruth Maurer was consoled.

Following the cards, the hostess assisted by her mother, Mrs. R. M. Neely, erved a two-course luncheon.

The club will meet in two weeks with Miss Delphine Feltz, W. North-st, for a Christmas party.

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Members of the Lucky Twelve club will meet Monday evening with Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Smith, S. Charles-st.

DELPHOS SOCIETY

CALENDAR

TUESDAY

Members of the J. T. club will be entertained at the home of Mrs. Joseph Smith, W. Bank-st, afternoon.
Mr. and Mrs. William Gladen will entertain the members of the E. E. Euchre club at their home on N. Canal-st, evening.
Members of the 1910 club will be entertained at the home of Mrs. Mary Imber, E. Fourth-st, evening. The regular Christmas exchange will take place at this meeting.
Regular business meeting of the Pythian Sisters will take place in their lodge rooms, W. Second-st, evening. Election of officers will also take place.
Members of the Friendly club will hold a meeting at the home of Mrs. Charles Harring, N. Main-st, evening.

WEDNESDAY

Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist church will hold a bazaar in the basement of the church evening. Suppers will also be served.

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Regular business meeting of the Young Ladies Sodality of St. John's Catholic church will take place Sunday afternoon. The reception will take place Sunday evening in the church.

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Robert Edwards is spending the week-end at his home, W. Third-st.

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William Burger, Toledo, came Saturday evening to spend the week at his home, N. Pierce-st.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. DeWeese have returned from an extended visit in Washington, Oregon and California.

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Miss Teckla Thomas of Erie, Pa., is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. Fogelin, E. Fourth-st.

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Mrs. Frank Sorenson, of Chicago, is visiting for a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William J. Steinle, E. Fourth-st.

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Mrs. P. F. Duignam and daughter, Margaret, returned from a visit with friends and relatives in Charleston.

OTTAWA SOCIETY

SOCIAL CALENDAR

MONDAY

Mrs. Carl Kersting will entertain the Study club, evening.

TUESDAY

Miss Helen Falke will welcome the Wego club to her home, evening.
Mrs. A. F. Sheibley will entertain the Harmony Five Hundred club, afternoon.
The Altrua club will meet with Mrs. E. T. Hixon, evening.

WEDNESDAY

Mrs. Adeline Beutler will extend the hospitality of her home to the O. N. O. club, evening.

THURSDAY

Installation of newly-elected officers of Putnam chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, followed by supper, Masonic temple, evening.

FRIDAY

Class in French meets at the home of Mrs. George J. Keinath, evening.

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Mrs. Herman Wise extended the hospitality of her home, Monday evening, to the Study club, when an evening of opera was enjoyed. Miss Eva McDowell told of the work of Mary Garden, and Mrs. H. P. Eastman discussed the efforts of Orville Harrold.

Supper was served during the social half hour. Mrs. Carl Kersting will entertain the club Monday night.

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Mrs. Alphonse Kersting entertained the Embroidery club, Wednesday night. The young maids and matrons dressed dollies, which will go to make glad the hearts of unfortunate little girls on Christmas morn.

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Mr. and Mrs. Sig. Wise had as guests Friday Mr. and Mrs. Julius Wise, of Lima, and Mrs. Wise's mother, Mrs. Stiefel, of Cleveland.

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Mrs. B. Lamdwehr was hostess for the Wego club, entertaining at her home Thursday, instead of Tuesday night. Five hundred was played, after which supper was served. Miss Genevieve Nordhaus and Mrs. Nienberg, both of Glandorf, were guests.

Miss Helen Falke will entertain the club Tuesday night.

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Mrs. Frank Stevens had as her guests Saturday Mrs. Clayton Lenhart, of Leipsic, and Mrs. Roy Sherman, of Napoleon.

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Mrs. H. J. Aubry was the guest of friends in Toledo several days of the past week.

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Mrs. Frank Stevens went to Leipsic, Friday night, to attend the municipal Christmas party.

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H. J. Aubry and Miss Lucile Aubry were in Findlay, Wednesday night, to attend a banquet of the Findlay lodge of Elks, of which Mr. Aubry is a member.

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Mrs. Henry Williams will be installed as worthy matron of Putnam chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, at the meeting to be held Thursday night at Masonic temple. Mrs. Williams will succeed Mrs. Mae Agner.

Other officers who will be installed are D. R. Hinkle, worthy patron; Mrs. D. N. Powell, associate matron; Mrs. Guy Kersh, secretary; Mrs. A. P. Sandles, treasurer; Mrs. J. W. Smith, conductress; Mrs. H. M. Summers, associate conductress; Miss Zoe Frantz, of Columbus Grove, trustee.

Supper will be served in the dining rooms of Masonic temple at the close of the installation ceremonies.

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Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fisher (Iscah Hamden) whose marriage was an event of last Monday in Adrian, Mich., are expected to arrive in Ottawa Tuesday. They will receive their friends at the bride's home. Mr. Fisher formerly resided near Townwood.

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Mrs. A. F. Shelbley will welcome the Harmony Five Hundred club to her home Tuesday afternoon.

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Mrs. Adeline Beutler will be hostess Wednesday night for the O. N. O. club.

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Mrs. George Frick entertained the Altrua club, Monday night, when a large representation of the membership was present. The only paper of the evening was read by Mrs. Iva Cummer. It was entitled: "Alaska, the Purchase Uncle Sam Forgot," and was written by her sister, Mrs. Robert Fisher (Iscah Hamden.)

Roll call was responded to by members naming favorite vegetables. Supper was served during the social hour. Owing to the prolonged wedding journey of Mrs. Robert Fisher, Mrs. E. T. Hixon will be hostess for the club next Tuesday night.

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-:- SOCIETY -:-

Mrs. William Renz, Brice-av, opened her home Wednesday afternoon for a regular meeting of the Ladies' Aid society of Zion Lutheran church. This was the final gathering of the year 1923.

'Experiences of the Inner Mission Worker' was the subject of the interesting paper given by Mrs. M. L. Mayer. Miss Emily Renz gave several vocal solos.

Following the program, annual election of officers took place. Mrs. Ora Klinger was elected president; Mrs. W. C. Brideweiser, vice-president, Mrs. C. Kelly, secretary, Mrs. H Von Blon, treasurer; Mrs. G. F. Schenfler, Mrs. V. Miller and Mrs. W. Brideweiser composed the calling committee; Mrs. W. Kundert, Mrs. Mrs. G. Bowsher and Mrs. R. G. Coates form the welcome committee; Mrs Arthur Peffley, Mrs. M. L. Mayer and Mrs J. Stonehill form the condolence committee; Mrs. V. Miller and Mrs. J. F. Renz compose the altar committee; Mrs. Walter Gerstenlauer is chairman of the flower committee; Mrs. A. Peffley will be pianist during the coming year and Mrs Harry Hiner, press reporter.

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The meeting of the Art Study club, which was to have been held Tuesday evening with Mrs. John W. Roby, Woodell-av, has been indefinitly postponed.

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The Otterbein Guild of the High Street Brethren church will meet Tuesday evening in the church parlors. The program will be at 7:30 o'clock.

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Mrs. Clarence L. Mumaugh will welcome the members of the Crescent club to her home, 1217 W. Elm-st, Friday for a one o'clock luncheon A Christmas grab-bag will be the feature of the afternoon's entertainment.

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The Loyal Circle class of Bethany Lutheran Sunday school will meet Tuesday evening with Mrs. O. J. Grieve, Hazel-av. All members are urged to be present as the annual election of officers will take place at this time and the Christmas party will be held.

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Members of St. Martha's Guild of Christ church, Episcopal, will hold their annual Christmas bazaar at the parish house, on Thursday. The women expect to have many attractive Christmas gifts on sale on this day.

SUSIE SMART'S ADVICE

Dear Miss Smart,

I AM a daily reader of your column and I would appreciate it very much if you would answer the few questions I have to ask

I am 14 years old and am a Christian I love to go to Sunday school and the revival meetings and I think if some of the other girls would obey their parents and read the Bible more they would be a little better off

Do you know of any place where I could sell poems that I make up?

What does the name Bessie mean?

Can embroidery be sold and if it can where? I am only 14 and in the 7th grade and would like to make some spare money What can I do to make some money?

When I go to school, I always want to do everything I can for Jesus and the girls make fun of me but I just trust in the Lord and I always get along all right Do you think if I feel so happy in Jesus and feel like shouting that I ought to hold it in? I get so happy some times I just can't be still for the Lord blesses me. What a dear friend He is to me He loves everybody and just to think he died for us that we might be saved.

If I can write again, let me know.

My Shepherd is the Lord,

BESSIE.

WHY not write to the editor of Youth's Companion, or Child Life or St. Nicholas? They would be the ones who would print your poems. If they refuse your first poems, don't be discouraged. It may be several years before you can write anything that is termed good enough to be published and remember altho magazine editors may be very critical, they do not mean to discourage your writing anything else

Bessie comes from Elizabeth, which means worshipper of God.

There is no place in this city where embroidery may be sold. Several years ago there was an exchange here but it was discontinued Can you bake nice cookies? Why not try and sell some baked goods to your neighbors. Or, you might offer to play nursemaid to some of your busy neighbors. They probably would be glad to give you some money for watching their children during the afternoon or evenings.

It is unfortunate the girls in school treat you as they do. Perhaps you speak to much to them of your religion, is that possible? Why not try to show them what a good Christian you are and how they could be, by your actions, your disposition and personality, instead of your shouting and talking about it continually. I don't mean to criticize you because of your religious ideas, they are far from wrong, but is another method of conducting yourself around your friends.

Yes, indeed, I would be glad to have you write me again.

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Dear Miss Smart:

Will you please answer the following questions

Please give me the name of the flower for each month of the year.

Does the meaning of the initials, R. S. V. P when signed to an invitation or letter demand an answer?

Is it necessary to arise when being introduced to a gentleman?

Is it proper to remember a boy friend with a gift or is a Christmas greeting sufficient

Thanking you in advance.

BLUE EYES

The following flowers symbolize the months of the year: snowdrop, January; primrose, February; violet, March; daisy, April; hawthorn, May; honeysuckle, June; water-lily, July; poppy, August; morning-glory, September; hops, October; chrysanthemum, November and holly, December.

S. V. P. on an invitation means acceptance or regret to an invitation is desired. It comes from the French phrase, "Repondez s'il vous plait," meaning respond if you please.

Yes, if the person to whom you are being introduced is an older person

A card or greeting is sufficient.

Members of the Nophus Bridge club motored to Columbus Grove on Thursday and were the luncheon guests of Miss Fern Lafferty, a member of the club. Following luncheon, which was at one o'clock bridge was enjoyed. Mrs. H. N. Wrigglesworth and Mrs. John Pohlabel held the high scoes of the afternoon.

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Plans were made for the annual Christmas party which will be held at the home of Mrs. C. H. Towe on December 20th.

Those who were guests of Miss Lafferty were Mrs. Russell Basinger Mrs. G. W. Swift, Mrs. John Pohlabel, Mrs. C. H. Towe, Mrs. M. F Hayes, Mrs. A. E. Shindollar and Mrs. William Berryhill.

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The Women's Board of Managers of the Tuberculosis Hospital will hold their annual election of officers at the Public Library, Tuesday afternoon.

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Members of the Cotta Circle of Zion Lutheran church will meet with Mrs. D. O. White, 737 N. Metcalf-st, Thursday afternoon.

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Mrs. J. H. McMillan, who was before her marriage a short time ago Miss Katherine Fletcher, was complimented at an informal party and miscellaneous shower on Thursday evening when Mrs. C. J. Dennison and Miss Lucille Siferd entertained at the Dennison home on S. Central-av.

Bunco was enjoyed, with Miss Sara Rigdon and Miss Francis McComb holding high scores. A two-course luncheon was served, with red and green being carried out in the appointments.

Those present were Misses Helen Boose, Mary Quinlan, Helen Carpenter, Sara Rigdon, Irma Wright, Lula Kilgore, Irene Shank, Amy Glenn, Malba Hardin, Eleanor and Margaret McMillan, Francis McComb, Mrs. A. E. Welker, Mrs. Margaret Baird, Mrs. Ira Brown, Mrs. Ada Bowsher, Ms. Bertha Cashman, Mrs. Bell Fitcher and Mrs. J. M. Buckmaster.

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The meetings of the Colonial Sewing club have been postponed until January. The hostess and time of the first meeting next year will be announced at that time.

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Miss Rebecca Andrews delightfully entertained a group of friends at her home on W. High-st, at bridge, Friday evening. Four tables were filled for play and at the conclusion of the games, Miss Frances Lou Cunningham held high score. Assisted by her mother, Mrs E. L. Andrews, the hostess served a two-course luncheon.

Those present were Miss Mary Douglass, Miss Mary Louise Edwards, Miss Dorothy Kendricks, Miss Helen Ferry, Miss Corine Croy, Miss Miriam Kramerer, Miss Virginia Mosher, Miss Bernice Lindesmith, Miss Frances Meilly, Miss Frances Lou Cunningham, Miss Nell Pursell, Miss Virginia Collett, Miss Katherine Hoffman, Miss Elizabeth Douglass, Miss Esther Wohlgemuth and Miss Harriet Sullivan.

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The Dorcas Circle of Zion Lutheran church will meet on Thursday afternoon with Mrs. L. O. Thempert, E. Albert-st.

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"Painters of Southwest" and "Indians" will be the subjects of Miss Ruth Parmenter's papers at the meeting of the Philomathean club to be held Monday evening with Mrs. W. D. Woods, W. High-st. Mrs. Charles Lathrop will speak on "American Art" and "Women Painters."

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The Young Ladies Circle of the First Baptist church will meet with Mrs C E Lynch at her home, 217 S. Collett-st, Wednesday evening.

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Mrs. Frank Steiner will open her home on Lakewood-av for the regular monthly gathering of the Young Ladies Aid Society of the Market Street Presbyterian church, Wednesday afternoon.

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Women of the Temple Sisterhood of Temple Beth Israel, will meet with Mrs. Emil Asher, State-st, Monday afternoon.

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Women of Circle No. 12 of the Trinity M. E. church, will gather at the home of Mrs. A. E. Gale, Gale Terrace, N. Washington-st Monday afternoon for a regular meeting. Mrs. Frank Fockler will be the assistant hosess.

Mrs. H. D. Zurmehly is chairman of the Circle.

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The Ladies Aid Society of the Epworth M. E. church will meet with Mrs. Harry Bryan, Spring and Collett-sts, Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Theodore Eyesnbach will tell a Christmas story.

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Mrs. Lynn Timmerman will entertain the members of the Delphian club at her home, 437 Lincoln-av, Wednesday afternoon Mrs. Emmett Curtin, Jr., will assist Mrs. Timmerman in arranging a Christmas program.

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Mrs. Julia Spornhauer was elected past guardian of the Cedar Grove Lodge, No. 24, of Woodmen Circle at a business meeting held recently. Other officers for the year 1924 are Mrs. Grace Leffel, guardian; Mrs. Harriet Sparks, adviser; Mrs. Margaret Gordon, clerk; Mrs. Minnie Saltz, banker; Mrs Mellie Gordon, chaplain; Mrs. Edith Line, attendant; Mrs. Lilie Huggins, assistant attendant; Mrs. Elizabeth Sticknell, manager; Mrs. Katherine Morison, inner sentinel; Mrs. Flora Wollet, outer sentinel; Mrs. Helen Miler, musician; Mrs. Mabel Pence, team captain, and Mrs. Julia Spornhauer, junior supervisor.

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Miss Florence Hughes, N. Elizabeth-st, will entertain the members of the Interlude Bridge club at her home, Monday evening.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Rummell opened their home on Lakewood-av for a covered dish dinner for the members of the Clover Leaf club and their husbands, Wednesday evening.

Following dinner, which was at 6:30 o'clock, cards and music were enjoyed.

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Mr. and Mrs C. E. Zander, W. Spring-st, have as their guest, Mrs. John Grenier, Detroit.

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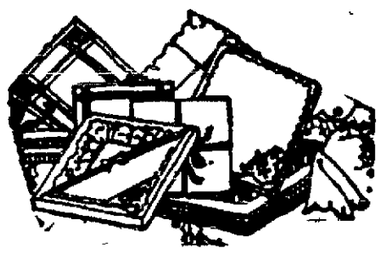

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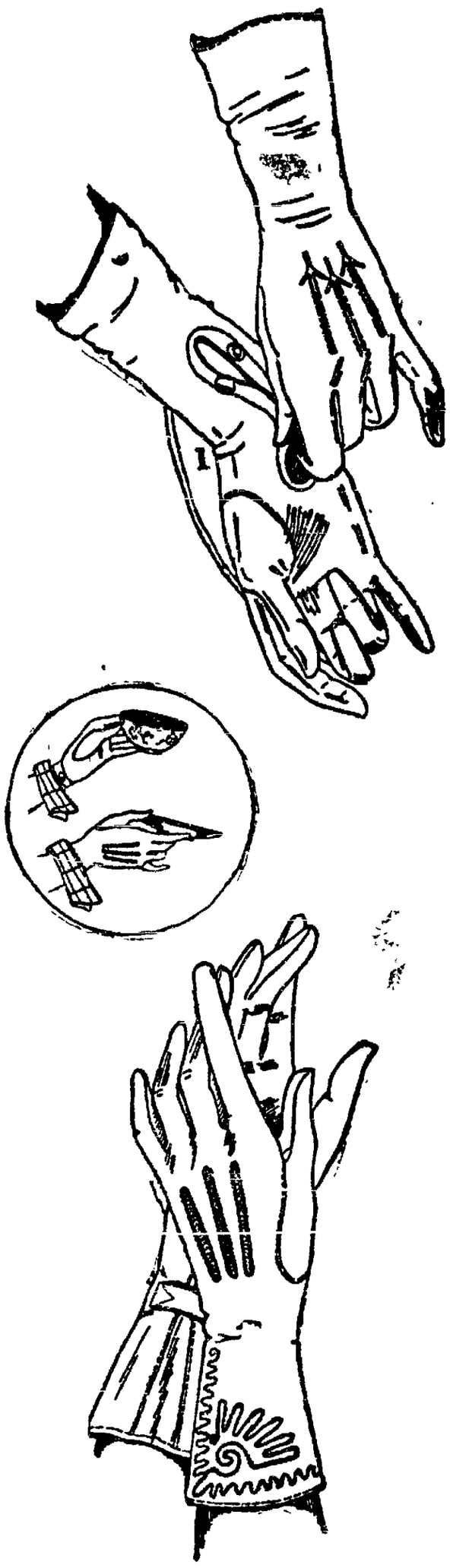

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WEEK'S ATTRACTIONS DEPART FROM USUAL LINES OF OFFERINGS

Faurot Presents "Blossom Time," a Musical Show, Besides Its Vaudeville Bill and Orpheum Brings Memphis Syncopators

THE coming week, so far as superior attractions are concerned, should meet with favor among theatregoers. On Tuesday and Wednesday comes "Blossom Time," one of the outstanding successes of the light musical stage. It has met with substantial approval from hosts of Americans who favor standard music, and again the play is founded on the life of Franc Schubert, one of the immortals.

As a matter of fact, the music of this opus is taken from many of his best compositions. It should be one of the musical events of the season.

Judging from the continuous order for tickets which is being received at the Faurot box office, not alone from Lima but from all surrounding cities and towns, two days will be all too short a stay for this popular attraction.

Everett Sanderson and his Memphis Syncopaters will be the attraction at the New Orpheum. This attraction is quite popular among the devotees of this style of amusement, and it is certain patrons of that popular house will find much to amuse.

Keith vaudeville, the same which has been pleasing large audiences opening Thursday will continue thruout Sunday with performances afternoon and evening.

MEMPHIS SYNCOPATERS COMES TO NEW ORPHEUM

East Indian Mind Reader and Jazz Band Are Features of "Jubilee" Attraction

To the New Orpheum theatre at the matinee Sunday afternoon comes what is heralded by Bob Shaw, manager, as the most unusual attraction he has booked thus far into the Market-st playhouse — Everett Sanderson and his Memphis Syncopators, in their "Jingling, Jazz Jubilee," with the East Indian, Prince Ali Sadhoo and Princess Isis, as added attractions.

The "Jingling, Jazz Jubilee," produced by Ray Andrews of Muncie, Ind., is "different." Nothing like it, according to Shaw, who viewed the production on its recent engagement in Indianapolis, ever before has been seen at the New Orpheum.

A forfeit of $1,000 in cash is offered by Ray Anderson in every city in which the Jubilee appears, regardless of size, or length of engagement, for any play jazz in the world which will equal that headed by Sanderson. Andrews is one of the wealthiest and most responsible showmen of the middle west and the challenge is bona fide in every way, according to Bob Shaw. Upon, demand, a certified check for the amount will be placed by Andrews in the hands of any bank, under control of any responsible body or judges, according to Shaw.

Prince Sadhoo and Princess Isis, who appear in the course of the rapid action of the Jubilee, are among the highest priced added attractions in musical comedy, according to Shaw. They offer an original and sensational demonstration of thought transference, which is declared to have marked them as among the world's greatest clairvoyants. Natives of far-away, mystic India, they are of the royal blood of that romantic empire, we are told, and come from the Yoji School, at Simla.

Three years ago, the prince and princess made their European debut in London, after a brief schooling in the English language. Six months ago, they came to the United States. They are making their first transcontinental tour, which will end in San Francisco at the conclusion of the current season, after which they will sail for Australia.

Around these two added offerings is a revue of entertainment, abounding in beautiful girls, scenery and wardrobe.

At 10 o'clock Thursday morning, a special matinee will be given for women only. The purpose of this special matinee is to permit the women to ask any question they desire, without embarrassment which might occur in a mixed audience.

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AT THE QUILNA

"His Children's Children," opens a week's engagement today at the Quilna theatre. Bebe Daniels, Dorothy Mackaill, James Rennie, Mahlon Hamilton and George Fawcett head the all-star cast.

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AT THE LYRIC

Today, Monday and Tuesday, "Red Lights" with all-star cast. Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, "Slave of Desire" with George Walsh, Bessie Love and Carmel Myers.

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AT THE MAJESTIC

Today, Monday and Tuesday, Gloria Swanson in "Prodigal Daughters." Wednesday and Thursday, "Java Head" starring Leatrice Joy. Friday and Saturday, Agnes Ayres in "Racing Hearts."

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AT THE FAUROT

Today, Keith vaudeville. Tuesday and Wednesday, "Blossom Time." Thursday, Friday and Saturday, vaudeville.

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"BLOSSOM TIME" COMES TO FAUROT TWO DAYS

Operetta Tells Story in Music of Life and Love of Schubert, Famous Composer

THE coming of that lovely operetta, "Blossom Time", based on the life and love of Franz Schubert, will bring to a head plans already made for a Franz Schubert festival—the same to commemorate the life and work of this most famous song composer of all time, who was born in January, 1797, in a suburb of Vienna. "Blossom Time" begins its engagement at the Faurot Tuesday and Wednesday.

All the scenes of this most charming musical play of a generation are laid in Vienna in perhaps its most picturesque epoch. Shortly after the death of Schubert there was published a novel based on an authentic episode of his life, and out of this material eventually came a highly successful musical play from the pens of Willner and Reichert, in which many of the melodies from his larger works and numerous of his love songs were embodied. Sigmund Romberg conceived the idea of developing this work —originally entitled "Drei Maidel Haus" into an operetta for America, the score of which should be largely if not entirely, taken from the gems of Schubert's various compositions. And Dorothy Donnelly, now one of the best librettists was inspired to do the book. This was three years ago. It has now run for two years in New York, where it was produced in September, 1921. Among the most important of the principals are Joseph Mendelssohn, Elizabeth Gergely, Madja St. Clair, Ethel Spaulding, Ada Howard, Elizabeth Marvin, Marie Dantes, John Fields, Jack Keller, Frank Horn, Walter Aemin, Patrick Kelley, Madeleene Hobin, Elsie Duffield, Sol Feldman, Robert W. Long Jas. Francis Robertson, William Nettum and Robert W. Callahan.

COMING ATTRACTIONS:

It is to be regretted that the St. Denis troup has cancelled its original date in December, but it is assured they will arrange time later in the season. But there are still many of the most important theatrical attractions marked on the Faurot calendar.

Late bookings embrace Channing Pollock's "The Fool". With the presentation of this problem play, Pollock became one of the most discussed personalities of the stage. It is the one great drama that has stirred prominent divines, critics and collaborators as no other has done in many years. It will be here for three days Dec. 24, 25 and 26.

Following this Manager Clark announces "The Cat and the Canary", another play eminently high in recent theatrical achievements. Ethel Barrimore sounds the keynote of American actresses so far as popularity and the spark of genius are concerned. She is a late booking. Al Jolson is another. Jolson is perhaps the representative comedian of the American stage so far as popularity is concerned.

Another attraction that should cause much speculation is John Golden's "First Year", a recent success. Golden, it will be remembered, is the producer of "Lightnin'." He does not bother with any but the most important plays. In this respect he is deserving of more honors than any other American producer. So it will be seen there are many good things to come.

Dec. 17, the Ada college band and minstrels will be at the Faurot. There are all told about 50 performers who will entertain. The band is spoken of as a highly creditable musical organization and their minstrel performance as something to be envied. They undoubtedly will please a crowded house.

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At the Rialto

"BLINKY," Gene Markey's famous story of army life, provides a new comedy for Hoot Gibson in the Universal special production to be shown at the Rialto Theatre starting next Wednesday. It is a mixture of thrills and laughs; it carries the spectator to the exciting or spectacular situation and then turns it into laughter, in one of the most original stories yet presented by the cowboy star.

"Blinky," the story of a pampered son of an old army officer who through "pull" wins a commission in the army, and sent to a border cavalry camp to "break in." His adventures are manifold and uproarous, from the time he takes his first riding lesson to the climax, where he rescues the major's daughter from kidnappers — and then turns the situation into a laugh — and a romance.

He battles with a fractious horse that lands him in the cactus — then has to meet a girl and smile. He's captured by rum runners and grapples with the intricacies of drill. But in the end he turns out a veritable replica of his fighting father.

A strong cast supports Gibson in the new play, which was directed by Edward Sedgwick, himself a former army officer, and in which the satire G Troop of the Eleventh Cavalry rides in the army scenes taken at Camp Hearn on the Mexican Border.

DeWitt Jennings plays the part of the youthful officer's choleric father, and Esther Ralston, playing the leading feminine role, is the major's daughter.

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'TWILL BE ANOTHER WEEK OF STARS FOR MOVIE PATRONS

LIMA PICTURE HOMES ANNOUNCE OFFERINGS OF RECENT RELEASE

Sigma Books "Her Reputation," Quilna "His Children's Children," Lyric "Red Lights" and Majestic "Prodigal Daughters"

(BY GERTRUDE GILLHAM)

PANTOMINE artists of superlative merit will gather at local theatres this week, where cinema programs of the finest calibre are to be shown. As the season steadily advances, managers are fortunate in receiving the very latest releases and patrons are assured of the best in silver sheet attractions henceforth.

"Ashes of Vengeance" continues into the new week at the Sigma theatre. It is a glowing story of France in the 16th century and has as its stellar players Norma Talmadge, Conway Tearle, Courtenay Foote and Betty Francisco. "Her Reputation," starring May McAvoy, will be the Sigma's attraction for the last half of the week starting Thursday. In the supporting cast are Lloyd Hughes, Casson Ferguson, Eric Mayne and other prominent stars.

Patrons will be treated to a new Paramount picture this week at the Quilna. It is the much talked of film, "His Children's Children," with an all-star cast including Bebe Daniels, Dorothy Mackaill, James Rennie, George Fawcett, Mahlon Hamilton and Mary Eaton.

"Red Lights," a screen version of the mystery play by Edward Rose, will follow on Wednesday and Thursday. Agnes Ayres will be seen in Johnnie Walker and Raymond Griffith have the principal roles. It will be followed by the spectacular romance, "Slaves of Desire," with George Walsh, Bessie Love and Carmel Myers.

The Majestic will flash "Prodigal Daughters," starring Gloria Swanson for the first three days of the week. "Java Head," with Leatrice Joy will be the Lyric's offering until Tuesday. Marie Prevost, Alice Lake, "Racing Hearts" on Friday and Saturday.

"RED LIGHTS" REMAINS FIVE DAYS AT LYRIC

Its Mystery and Thrills To Give Way Tuesday to De Balzac's "Slave of Desire"

THERE are mystery thills and suspense in abundance in the photoplay, 'Red Lights,' which opened a 5-day engagement Friday at the Lyric theatre. It is an adaptation of Edward E. Rose's stage melodrama called "The Rear Car," in which Richard Bennett has such big success on the West Coast and which Taylor Holmes did in the East.

The plot is a story of a young girl, Ruth Carson, the abducted daughter of a railroad magnate, whose identity is at last discovered. This discovery begins a series of strange and mysterious warnings of imminent death. Her lover, John Blake, calls on his friend, Sheridan Scott, the "crime-deflector," to protect the girl. Passage is engaged to Chicago on the continental limited but the mysterious warnings and strange hapenings continue to tage place. The story comes to a climax when the rear car of the limited is uncoupled from the train while it is going up a steep grade over the mountains and dashes down hill towards the second section of the train. Catastrophe is averted only because the switch is turned and the rear car is shunted off on a blind siding. Here the mysteries are solved and the villains punished.

The cast includes Marie Previst, Raymond Griffith, Johnnie Walker, Alice Lake, Dagmar Godowsky, Lionel Belmore as well as many other favorites.

"Slave of Desire", the offering for the last half of the week, opening Tuesday, is an adaptation of Honore de Balzac's classic novel, "La Peau de Chagrin," or "The Magic Skin." The story concerns Raphael, a Parisian poet, who, living in poverty, craves wealth and love. About to end his life, he is halted by an antiquarian who gives him a wonderful skin. The talisman enables Raphael to attain every desire but with every wish, no matter how trivial, the magic skin shrinks. The antiquarian has told Raphael that when the skin disappears entirely, his life will have ebbed away. Death apyroaches just as Raphael has won the love of his childhood sweetheart. He wishes for her safety, the first unselfish wish he has made, and this frees him fram the curse.

In the leading roles are George Walsh, Bessie Love and Carmel Myers. "Slave of Desire" will remain until Saturday.

Elia Gergely, as Mitzi and Johnnie Fields, as Kranz, in "Blossom Time" at Faurot Tuesday and Wednesday.

QUILNA BOOKS FILM TO SHOW FOR WEEK

"His Children's Children" Arrives Backed by Boosts of Many Critics

UNQUESTIONABLY one of the big pictures of the year will be on view at the Quilna theatre this week when "His Children's Children" opens its engagement today. This is a Paramount picturization of the story which Arthur Train, a New York attorney, is said to have based on personal experiences he had pieced together from his years of law practice and his work in the district attorney's office in New York City.

"His Children's Children" is not a picture of cabaret or night life in the metropolis. These scenes are merely incidental to the story of a family from the first generation to the third—of human happiness—of human weakness—human strength. It tells of moral and mental decay, but in a clean, gripping, vivid manner.

It shows how the great fortune of a pioneer railroad builder—a typical American figure—reacts thru a smug second generation and shatters the whole family to pieces in this, the so-called jazz generation of the present day. It is heralded not only as a most dramatic story but as an indictment of American society.

Paramount selected Sam Wood to make the production and he has responded by turning out a picture that a number of New York critics pronounced an excellent example of filming a novel. The array of talent includes Bebe Daniels, Dorothy Mackaill, James Rennie, George Fawcett, Mary Eaton, Dora Mills Adams, Mahlon Hamilton, Lawrence D'Orsay, Sally Crute, Hale Hamilton, Warner Cland and H. Cooper Cliffe. And there are at least a dozen others also familiar to picturegoers.

Director Wood also has insisted on making "His Children's Children" a picture of real New York, we are told, with but few studio scenes. For instance, the Vanderbilt home on Fifth-av is used as the Kayne mansion. There are gay parties in exclusive New York hotels, in Greenwich Village tea rooms and in Broadway cafes. There are hunting scenes on Long Island, the famous old Delmonico's, an exact duplicate of the first Pullman private car and scenes at Atlantic City.

That the Quilna has confidence that it will duplicate in Lima its success at the Rivoli and Rialto theatres in New York is evidenced by the fact that it is scheduled to remain here the entire week. The feature will be preceded by the Quilna News and Aesop Fables.

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Norma Talmadge and Conway Tearle in "Ashes of Vengeance." Appearing at the Sigma.

James Rennie, Bebe Daniels and Mahlon Hamilton in a scene from the Paramount Picture "His Children's Children" A Sam Wood Production
At the Quilna all week.

SIGMA OFFERS TWO EXTRAORDINARY FILMS

Current Show is "Ashes of Vengeance," Then Comes "Her Reputation"

THIS week at the Sigma is an exceptionally entertaining one with two of the house's best attractions of the season on the program. The current attraction, which opened Friday, is Norma Talmadge's latest starring vehicle, "Ashes of Vengeance", a delightful romance of France in the 16th century. It will be replaced on Thursday by "Her Reputation", starring May McAvoy.

"Ashes of Vengeance" is a production which, it is said, for gorgeousness of costuming, massive settings, story interest and splendid portrayal stands in a class of its own, an example of artistry seldom displayed on the screen.

The settings and costumes are background for a thrilling, tensely interesting love story, never overshadowed by the spectacular elements.

The story opens at a court ball held on St. Bartholomew's Eve, held by Catherine de Medici to disarm suspicion. She manages that evening to secure the signature of her weak son, Charles IX, to a proclamation decreeing the massacre of the Huguenots. Rupert de Vrieac and his hereditary enemy engage in a duel in which de Vrieac is victorious, but places La Roche under obligation by sparing his life. The massacre of the Huguenots takes place that night, and La Roche saves both de Vrieac and his fiancee on condition that the young nobleman becomes his servant for five years. At the castle of La Roche, de Vrieac is subjected to much humiliation at the hands of La Roche and his beautiful sister, Yeoland de Breux, but finally, after a desperate encounter with a wolf, saves the life of the invalid sister of his tormentors.

Later Yoeland, guarded by de Vrieac, goes to visit her cousin, and there meets the despicable Duc de Tours, who seeks to win her. De Vrieac saves her after a desperate battle in which de Tours is killed. Later at the request of Yoeland, de Vrieac is released from his oath of servitude, and the avowal of love between the young couple brings to an end the feud between the two families.

"Her Reputation", opening on Thursday, is the throbbing, human story of a great tragedy and a great romance which lies back of a first page newspaper scandal. May McAvoy has been surrounded by an excellent supporting cast headed by Lloyd Hughes and Casson Ferguson. It will continue for four days at the Sigma.

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At the Majestic

THE Paramount picturization of Joseph Hocking's novel, "Prodigal Daughters" will be the Majestic's offering for three days starting today. Gloria Swanson is in the stellar role with Ralph Graves playing opposite.

The story tells of a wealthy locomotive builder who returns from a three year's business trip in Europe to find many changes in his home and family. His elder daughter has become an ultra-modern young person demanding freedom from parental convention, and his wife is prominent in a nuit known as "The Modern Club" which meets regularly in his home. Miss Swanson plays the role of "Swiftie" Forbes, daughter of the financier. She leaves the parental roof when rebuked for her speedy ways and seeks new companionships in Greenwich Village.

"Prodigal Daughters" presents Gloria Swanson in one of her best characterizations. Ralph Graves, likewise, is excellent in the leading man's role. Others in the cast are Vera Reynolds, Theodore Roberts and Charles Clary.

Leatrice Joy comes to the Majestic theatre on Wednesday for a two day stay in "Java Head." Racing Hearts" with Agnes Ayres will be the attraction for Friday and Saturday.

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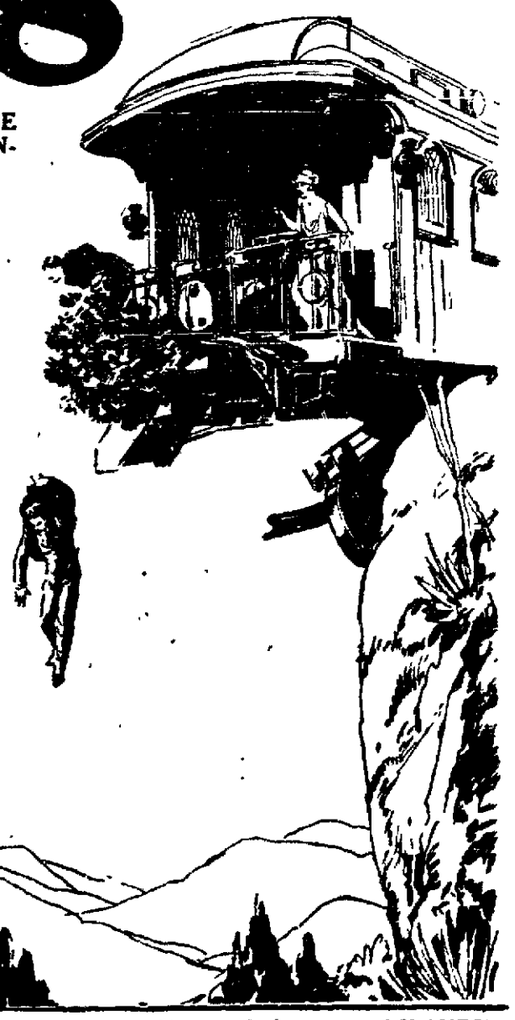

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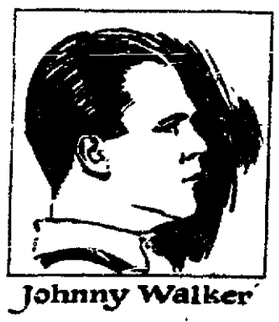

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Interesting News Notes For Local Colored Folk

Mr. and Mrs. Sol Lucas, Cleveland spent Thanksgiving with their parents Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Byrd.

Golden Gate quartet sang at Fostoria last Sunday night.

Lefty Martin and Arametha Randall were married in Marion last Saturday.

Paul Cumberland is critically ill at his home on S. Central-av, suffering with dropsy.

Mr and Mrs Tony (nee Nora Gullo) of Ft Wayne were Lima visitors last Wednesday.

Russel McCown of Toledo and Miss Hazel Hill were united in marriage in Toledo, week before last.

Miss Sarah Jones, Westerville spent the week end with her mother and family.

Among the persons who motored to Columbus to attend the football game between Wilberforce University and West Viaginia Institute, Thanksgiving day were, Mr. and Mrs. John Moxley, Mr and Mrs Orville Moxley and daughter Junita Mrs Hattie Moss and daughter Appaline, Rolland Moxley, Walter Manuel, Harry Bass, Mrs Florence Cumberland, Mrs Maud Bush, Mrs Mary McCown, Mr and Mrs Wm. Webb and Luke Webb.

A family dinner for the following was served at the home of Mrs Nettie Jones W Spring st last Sunday. Miss Sarah Jones, Westerville, Mr. Neil Clemens, Miss Hazel Jones, Mr. and Mrs Royal Cotman and family Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Jones and daughter Jane. Leonard and Elzie Jones and Lawrence Hitchcock.

Aeolian Club will meet Thursday with Mrs. Blanch Herman, S. Baxter-st, Program to be rendered Song, "Come Thou Almighty King"; Roll Call, Thirteen, Paper, Moving Pictures; Mrs McArnold, Discussion. Musical number Mrs. Herman, Parliamenta es, Critic's report.

Hamilton Commandary No. 33 Knight Templars will entertain their many friends at their annual Ball, Friday evening Dec 28 in the Knights of Columbus Hall, W. North-st.

Thimble Society will meet Thursday p. m with Mrs G. W. Simmons, West High-st.

Ladies Aid of the Second Baptist church will meet Wednesday atefnoon, Dec. 12, at 2 30, with Mrs Lena Seldom.

Fraternal orders will give a free band and song concert at Memorial Hall Sunday Dec. 16th. Program as follows Music by Fraternal Band, Invocational by chaplin Song by Fraternal chorus Classic selection by band Vocal Solo, Marcelle Harrison. Introduction of A. J. Riggs, speaker of the day. Selection, Golden Gate quartette. Other musical numbers. Dr. J. C. Bradfield, master of ceremonies, and Edward Byrd, chairman.

Regular meeting of Needlework club was postponed on the account of the death and burial of Mrs Jane Nooks, mother of Mrs. Mary Robinson. The next meeting will be with Mrs Chattie Hamilton, Friday, Dec. 21, when the Christmas exchange will be held.

Domestic Art and Literary club will give a musical at St Paul A M E church Wednesday evening, Dec. 12, as follows:

Invocation, Rev. Driver. Instrumental solo, Ruth Johnson. Vocal solo, Miles Mitchell Reading, Martha Turner Selection, Golden Gate quartette. Duet, Mesdames Bradfield and Carr Vocal solo Beatrice Ruffin. Reading, Vesta Johnson. Vocal solo, Esther Davis Cornet solo, Mr. Allen Youngblood Reading, Madie Ruth Gamble. Vocal solo, Elmer Brown. Instrumental solo, Geraldine Carpenter. Vocal solo, Mrs. Madge Williams Reading, Pauline Emmerson. Vocal solo, Tom Andrrews.

Ed Byrd was called to Van Wert last week on account of the sickness of his brother, Jim.

Meeting of the Aeolian Juniors and Ways and Means committee of the Federated clubs was postponed last Tuesday on account of the rain. The Ways and Means committee will meet Tuesday evening, Dec. 18th, with Mrs. Eva Harrison.

A regular meeting of Turner Alexander Post No. 189, American Legion, will be held at the residence of Chas. Johnson, rear 711 W Spring-st, Friday evening, Dec. 14 Election of officers.

Allen Howard has been quite sick at his home.

Leroy Seldom and Miss Edith Bobson were guests of Mr. Seldom's father, J L. Seldom, and other friends, Van Wert, Thuankgiving day.

Miss Edith Bobson visited in Bellefontaine last week.

American Legion Auxiliary, Turner Alexander Post No. 189, will meet at the home of Mrs Rosa Jones, 214 Miller-av, Monday evening, Dec. 10. All members are asked to be present. Election of officers for the coming year.

Mr. and Mrs Dolphin Roberts and Charles Hamilton were business visitors to Arlington, last Tuesday.

Mrs. Mary Mooks, Wren, passed away at her home and was buried last Friday.

Mrs. Carrie Manuel, Mrs. Mary Robinson and Mrs Nell Simmons, Lima, were at her daughter's A number of other relatives were in Lima.

Alice Lake, Raymond Griffith, Marie Prevost and Lionel Belmore in "RED LIGHTS" A Goldwyn Picture Distributed by Goldwyn-Cosmopolitan

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FUNERAL ARRANGED

GLANDORF — Funeral services for Mrs Elizabeth Ann Sommer Glandorf pioneer who died Friday, will be held Monday at 9 a. m in St Johns Catholic church Rev L. Schupp, pastor, will officiate Interment will be in St Johns Catholic church cemetery

SOCIAL ORDER IS BASIS FOR SERIES OF SERMONS

Dr. Charles A. Rowand, pastor of Trinity M. E. church, Sunday morning will give the first of a series of sermons on "The New Social Order" Schedule of sermons is as follows: December 9, "The Impelling Motive of the New Social Order", December 19, "Is there a place for war in the new social order?"; December 23, "World peace and the new social order."

Sunday night Dr F. L. Dustman, editor of The American Issue, official publication of the Anti-Saloon League, will speak on the subject, "Enforcing the Eighteenth Amendment."

Starting Wednesday at the Rialto.

TRUANT OFFICER'S REPORT

F. J. Pierstorff, Allen-co attendance officer for schools outside Lima and Delphos, submits the following report for October and November: Total complaints of truancy or irregular attendance investigated, boys, 1[illegible] girls, 119; notices sent to parents, [illegible]; notices sent to truants, 5; cases taken to court, 1. Physicians' certificates excusing children temporarily because of illness or other causes, 10.

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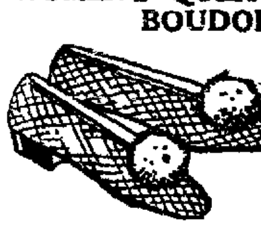

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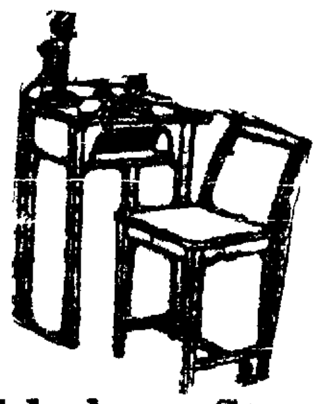

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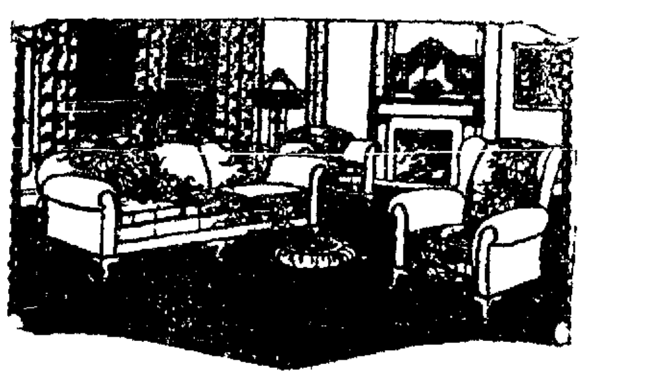

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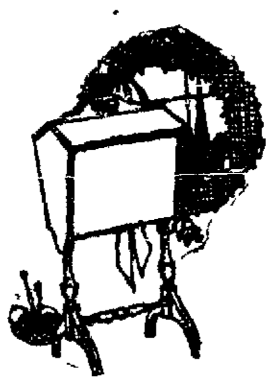

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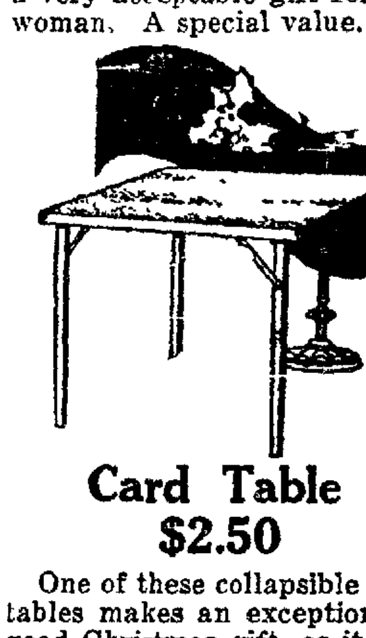

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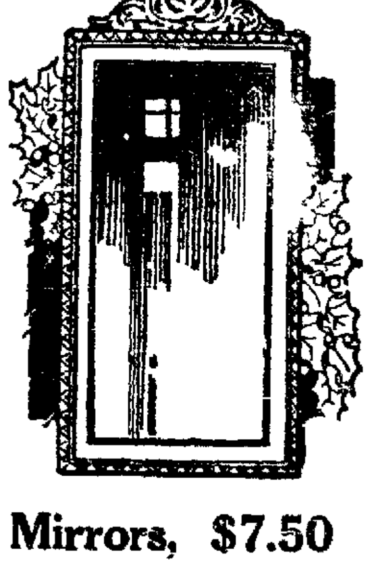

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What about your Heating System for the winter? Has it been put in good condition, and thoroughly inspected yet?

We inspect all makes of furnaces free of charge.
Burning too much coal, you say?

Perhaps a little expert advice or a few minor changes would help to save part of your fuel bills the coming winter.

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Perhaps your furnace has not been provided with enough cold air to insure proper circulation.

Our system provides for something more than a cheap, half installed heating plant.

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Moral? The cheapest is dearest in the long run.

We, at all times, wish to co-operate with any and all prospects, either in repairs or new sales.

Now when you read this little article and your heating system is in doubt, don't hesitate to call us up at once. We can save you money.

THE HENRY FURNACE & FOUNDRY CO.

J. N. McKAY, Manager,

PHONE MAIN 7160 732 S. MAIN ST.

$75,000 Display of Oriental Rugs — at Miss Bland's Millinery Shop

207 W. High St. Masonic Bldg.

All lovers of Oriental Rugs invited to visit in our store and see this wonderful display. We have rugs ideal for a Christmas Gift. No obligation to inspect this line. George Mooradian will be pleased to see all his new and old customers. This sale is to start Monday morning Dec. 10th and will last until Dec. 20th. Wonderful opportunity to select your Rug for everlasting Christmas Gift.

Miss Bland's Millinery Shop
Masonic Building

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Work Done by Shoemakers
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Open Evenings While You Wait

The Lima House Barber Shop
Gives You Excellent Service and Now Operates As a
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HOFMANN BROTHERS HARDWARE
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32 AUTOS AND SUPPLIES

FOR SALE—7 PASSENGER TOURING car, A-1 running order, good tires; newly overhauled and painted 120 S Union Phone High 3186 Monday

HUDSON—ESSEX
USED CARS
1—1922 Essex Coach, repainted.
1—1918 Hudson 7 Pass. Touring.
1—1921 Reo Sedan.
1—1922 Hupp Touring, repainted.
1—1922 Studebaker Special Touring.
1—1923 Ford Coupe.
1 Overland 90 Touring.
1—1922 Hudson Coach.
1—1920 Essex Roadster.
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1923 Chevrolet touring
1923 Chevrolet coupe
1922 Chevrolet touring
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Several good buys $100 and under.
Terms
C. H. Black Garage
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32 AUTOS AND SUPPLIES

Watch Our Used Car Ad

and you will observe that we are moving them fast, which is due to our low prices. Below are a few [illegible] bargains. We are glad to demonstrate our cars to you.

1926 Buick Roadster, reconditioned, with 4 good tires, 2 tires are almost new, $[illegible].00.

1920 7 Passenger Cadillac touring in fine mechanical condition, 4 new cord tires, new top, slant fitted curtains, new paint, color maroon, $750.00.

1921 Springs-Booth Roadster, reconditioned by our new mechanic, good top and curtains, newly painted, cheap at $600.00, our price $475.00.

1920 Monroe touring, new paint, 4 good cord tires, size 32x4, 1 spare tire, at a low price of $295.00.

[illegible] Touring, [illegible] in ordinary condition, tires fair, price $[illegible].00.

Special Six Touring, 5 cord tires, brand new top and side curtains to open up with them. A very mechanical condition, just out of paint shop, at a special price of $[illegible].

1918 Buick touring car, good mechanical condition, top fair, but should be painted. Price $150.00.

The Hawisher Motor Car Company
406 W. Market St. Phone Main 2200

USED CAR SALE
Every Car Priced to Sell

These cars have been traded in on DURANTS AND STARS at Blue Book appraisal—and will sell accordingly.

1—1923 Ford Coupe—extras.
1—1920 Ford Coupe.
1—1920 Ford Sedan.
1—1922 Ford Touring.
1—1916 Ford Touring (cheap)
1—1923 Star Touring, like new—with guarantee; save $100
1—1923 Durant Touring; save $300.
1—1918 Buick Touring, cheap.
1—1914 Hupmobile, new tires, new battery, starter; A-1 mechanical condition ...$65.00

Don't fail to see these bargains—Pick your car and we demonstrate to your satisfaction. EASY TERMS on all of them.

J. O. BREESE & SON
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Look Here!

1—1924 Maxwell Sport Touring.
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A few other cars at your own price. Got to have room for new 1924 Oaklands.

Open evenings 'till 8:30
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BRYAN Sales Co.
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Lima Cadillac Co.
Main 4784
122-4-6-8 W. North St.

Fords Fords Fords
1—1923 Ford Sedan.
2—1921 Ford Sedans.
1—1923 Ford Coupe.
1—1921 Ford Roadster.
1—1922 Ford Roadster.
1—1916 Ford Touring.
1—1923 Ford Touring.
1—1921 Ford Touring.
1—1919 Ford Touring.
1—1923 Hupmobile 4 pass. Coupe.
1—1921 Buick Sedan
1—1921 Oldsmobile Touring.
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Agency for Hupmobile
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FOR SALE—USED PARTS FOR ELcar and Dort Motors. Inquire at 818 N. Jackson St.

FOR SALE
1 Overland touring car, good tires all around, less than $100.00. Bargain. Main 4684.
[illegible] REHN
1071 W. Spring St.

FOR SALE—FORD TRUCK, $40.00; soft coal cook stove, $12.00; one Detroit Vapo Oil Stove, $12.00; 1 small oil heater, $2.00.

For Sale
1—1919 Ford touring
1—1920 Ford sedan
2—1923 Ford tourings
2—1923 Ford standard tourings.
1—1923 Ford sedan
1—1920 Chandler touring
Armstrong Garage
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FOR SALE
Overland Four Touring
1922 Model
Fully equipped with five cord tires, bumpers, aluminum step plates, visor, spotlight, stoplight, tire cover, Klaxon horn and special 17" steering wheel. In fine condition.
WILL SELL CHEAP FOR CASH
Phone State 3088 or call at 658 S. West St.

For Sale
BIG BARGAINS IN USED AUTOMOBILES
Star, Packard, Jewett, Maxwell, Studebaker, Stephens—Terms
See Mr. Crumrine
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Sold in Fifteen Days
And at prices that saved our customers hundreds of dollars.
WE ARE LEAVING MONDAY MORNING ON A BUYING TRIP. WE SCOUR THE COUNTRY FOR MILES HUNTING BARGAINS FOR YOU. WATCH FOR OUR
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Of an entire stock of High Grade Used Cars Next SUNDAY, DECEMBER 16th
No Car Older Than 1921
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FOR SALE—FORD TRUCK, $40.00; soft coal cook stove, $12.00; one Detroit Vapo Oil Stove, $12.00; 1 small oil heater, $2.00. Main 2987.

MUST SELL AT SACRIFICE—1923 Maxwell, sport model touring, fully equipped. State 2435.

FOR SALE OR TRADE ON SMALL used car, Marmon Touring, A-1 condition. Lake 7979. Inquire at 1351 S. [illegible]

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30 AUTOS AND SUPPLIES

FOR SALE—OVERLAND 4 SEDAN. for quick sale. Will take in good [illegible] Address P. O. Box 145, Ottawa, Ohio.

FOR SALE—1920 HUDSON SPORT model in good condition. Inquire 620 N. Jefferson.

FOR SALE—SAXON. CHEAP. CALL [illegible]

FOR SALE—1922 [illegible] SEDAN. [illegible] in A-1 [illegible] quick sale at sacrifice [illegible] Line Co. [illegible]

FOR SALE—OVERLAND 82 AUTOMOBILE [illegible]

SMASH

This is what has happened to the price of this attractive 6 room house on West Wayne St., just west of Jameson ave. 2 lots 50x200. Garage. Farquar furnace. Stone foundation. Fruit. Shade. A delightful and convenient place to live. Extra lot is alone worth [illegible] hundred to two thousand. Will sell at a sacrifice this week. See us!

Gooding, Sons & Co.

Realtors—Insurance
601-2 Citizens Bldg. Main 1770

WEST MARKET ST.
$8500
Near Jameson, and 8-room house, 4 bed rooms, bath, furnace, large lot. This is a good buy. $2000 handles it.

METCALF STREET
$6000
Here is a good buy South of Elm. Owner leaving city and offers a 7-room house with bath, furnace, oak floors. Act quick.

ATLANTIC AVENUE
$2650
Near Vine, a 5-room bungalow with bath. Large lot. $1,500 handles it.

NORTH COLLETT ST.
$6750
Near Brice, 8-room house, 4 bed rooms and bath up. Oak floors and finish, fireplace, soft water plumbing, hot air heating, slate roof. $1500 handles it. The price is low.

MICHAEL & FISHEL
REALTORS
135½ N Main St. Ph. Main 1075

FOR SALE

TO COLORED PEOPLE

6-room modern home, large lot; $800 cash; balance like rent. Price $4800.

8-room, large lot, street paved—very small down payment. Balance like rent. Price $3500.

6-room, 2-story, well-built house, small payment down. Balance like rent, $3000.

5 rooms, water, gas, electricity—good West side neighborhood; $300 cash. Balance like rent.

Several lots on west side. Priced right. Watch these double in value shortly.

We are here to please you if possible and rest assured we shall use our best efforts in trying to secure for you just what you want as we have several homes in the west, east, north and south sides — and some dandy lots—that can all be bought on the Easy Payment Plan.

C. RICHIE

Phone Main 7975
131 West Spring St.

HOMES

MURPHY ST. 5 room house, rooms all good sized. Electric lights, water and gas. Summer kitchen. Corner lot. A modest little home that can be bought right and on very easy terms. You can get possession to-morrow.

[illegible]WEY AVE. A 6 room modern house, square type, about four years old, in excellent condition. Abundance of hardy shrubbery and extra large lot. Very fine soil for gardening. Can be handled on $1000.00 down. Price $5700.
Houses and apartments for rent.

Motter & Green

Realtors
Steiner Building Main 3141

FOR SALE

Homes, all modern, S. Charles, [illegible]000; W. High-st, Baxter Place, [illegible]000; Oakland Park, $8,500 and [illegible]00; Kenilworth Ave. $6,500; [illegible]on Ave., $5,300. Down town [illegible]er lot, 47½ x 96, ideal for filling station or business, $8,000. Will [illegible] vacant lots on some of these [illegible]s.

William F. Numan-Shuler Co.
309 Masonic Building
Phones: Main 2496, Main 2632 or Rice 4220

BARGAINS

Good 7-room, modern home, Brice [illegible] excellent location, easy terms $6,250.
[illegible] new, modern home, Oakland [illegible] easy terms, price $5,500.
Vacant lot on S. Rosedale Ave., [illegible] State. Must be sold at once. Best buy in Lima.

G. E. LEIST
Realtor
[illegible]8-10 American Bank Bldg.
[illegible]1512 Main 5905

FOR SALE

Six cylinder, 7 passenger Studebaker. 1921 model with winter top heater. Just been painted and first class condition. Priced worth money. Call Main 6017.

35 REAL ESTATE FOR SALE 35 REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

FOR SALE

87 acres, all gravelly loam, gently rolling, very productive. Well drained and wire fenced. Buildings first class, consisting of six room house, basement, Delco lights, barn, tile silo, large poultry house, garage. Twenty year loan; two and one half miles from small town and shipping point; good roads.

170 acres two miles from Lima. New six room house, drilled well, barn recently remodeled, wagon shed and corn crib attached. Wire fenced. An ideal location for dairy or stock farm. This farm is located where it will soon be in demand for suburban home.

80 acres, two miles west of Westwood Addition on Elm street road. Eight room house, Delco lights, barn, large shed attached. Other out buildings. Fences all wire and in very good condition. Two flowing wells; productive soil.

Any of the above farms can be exchanged for city property or sold on very liberal terms. Only a small amount of cash required. If you have ever had a desire to become a farm owner, see us on the above farms.

60 acres three miles south-east of Lima. Six room house, summer house, barn, wagon shed, granary, garage. Will exchange for property in south east Lima.

6 room house under construction on Leland, near Cole street. Strictly modern. Can sell on liberal terms.

"LET'S TALK IT OVER"

ROBERTS & HALL

Realtors 408 Steiner Bldg. Main 5782
ELMER V. ROBERTS N. F. HALL

Spend Christmas in Your Own Home

On South Broadway, we have a 6-room house, hard pine finish. A big lot. Price $1,800 and can be bought on terms of $300 cash and balance as rent.

On N. Main street, 5-room frame bungalow in good condition, slate roof, modern except furnace, oak finish, dandy nice lot. Price $4,800 and will accept small down payment.

N. Metcalf street, a 6-room house in good condition, modern except furnace. Plenty of fruit. A good buy at $3,800. Reasonable terms.

Here is a dandy 7-room house on S. Metcalf street in fine condition, modern throughout, new garage and fine lot, nice location. For quick sale at $5,000. Reasonable cash payment.

On Ottawa street we have two five room houses at $2,300 and $2,500. Can be sold on very small down payment.

We have a strictly modern home on Brice Avenue near Collett St. Large lot, fruit and shade. Can be bought for $6,200.

We have a 5-room house near South Warsaw with two acres of ground, we can exchange for small Lima property or sell for cash at a low figure.

Good 80 acre farm for rent or sale on easy terms!

THE WEBB COMPANY

REALTORS
56 PUBLIC SQUARE MAIN 4781

Lots---Beautiful Building Lots

Hiram A. Holdridge Addition (old Roberts Homestead) just east of Fair Grounds, on Bellefontaine Road, which is paved and paid for. Lots are all large, well restricted, sewers, water, gas and electricity. Available street car two blocks. Addition just opened and placed on sale. Let us help you pick a good lot for your future home.

Gravel Subsoil; Drainage Can't Be Beat. Priced to Sell.

TERMS—10 PERCENT CASH; 1 PERCENT PER MONTH.

FOR APPOINTMENT, CALL

C. W. DAILEY or E. H. DORSEY

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Get the First Choice Lima Trust Building—Second Floor

Open for Inspection Today from 1:30 to 4:30

NEW DUTCH COLONIAL just completed at No. 466 W. Grand Ave. Located on car line; close in.

FIRST FLOOR

LIVING ROOM, DINING ROOM AND HALL—finished in oak; clothes closet off of hall; fire-place in living room; walls decorated with paper.
KITCHEN—Keene cement blocked, finished in gray enamel; walls decorated in oil paint. Pantry off of kitchen. Equipped with built-in cupboard and ironing board.

SECOND FLOOR

THREE LARGE BED ROOMS AND HALL—finished in ivory and mahogany. Closets off of rooms and hall. Decorated with paper.
BATH ROOM—Keene cement blocked and finished in white enamel. Wall oil painted. Equipped with linoleum; medicine cabinet and linen closet.

BASEMENT—POURED CONCRETE

Hardwood floors up and down. Completely equipped with electrical fixtures, window shades, hot air furnace and shutters.

TERMS CAN BE ARRANGED

KILLIAN & SONS

HOME BUILDERS AND CONTRACTORS
205-6 College Building
Appointment Call Main 7711

FOR SALE

GLENWOOD AVE.—5 room cottage, large lot, garage. $1000.00 cash $4000.00
PROSPECT AVE.—5 room completely modern cottage, full lot, $800.00 cash $4750.00
GREENLAWN AVE.—6 room house, partly modern, large lot, $600.00 cash $3500.00
W. ELM ST.—5 room completely modern house, large lot. A beautiful home.
S. WEST ST.—DUPLEX, modern except furnace, large deep basement, excellent location.
SUBURBAN PROPERTY—5 acres of land with 6 room bungalow, full basement. Small cash payment, or will accept City property.
Before you buy or sell, call—

COURTAD BROS.

Main 5484 232 1-2 N. Main St.

FOR SALE OR TRADE
BY OWNER

5-room completely modern home—all on one floor; garage and stone drive, northwest part of city—a dandy home for a small family. Will trade for 6-room modern house in west or northwest part of city.

Address BOX 1074, Care News

FOR SALE—SEVEN ROOM HOUSE, 2 lots, a drilled well, cistern water in house, electric lights, situated in Harrod; will sell cheap and easy payments. Call Rice 1[illegible].

For Sale or Trade

Modern bungalow on West Elm, hard and soft water, shrubbery, lot 560x200, excellent location. We have other houses in all parts of the city. If you are interested in buying, trading or selling, see us for good results.

H. J. Strausburg

211 Steiner Bldg. Main 6225

REAL ESTATE WANTED

Wanted—several medium priced homes from 4 to 6 rooms and several lots. I have several calls from colored people for a number of these properties and if rightly priced, I can dispose of them very easily. Drop in and see me.

C. RICHIE
Main 7975
121 West Spring Street

FOR SALE—BEAUTIFUL NINETY acre improved farm, level and fertile, fronting on paved pike near Portsmouth, Ohio. Railroad, Traction and Bus service. Must sell at once. Price Fifteen Thousand, Five Hundred Dollars. Address W. W. Weidner, Box 2[illegible], Portsmouth, Ohio

35 REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

Frank H. Bentz Company Bulletin

NO. 2 JEAN COURT
5-room semi-bungalow, hardwood floors, throughout, fireplace, tiled bath, full basement, hot air furnace. Screens and awnings, price $7,500.00

904 N. JAMESON AVENUE
6-room house, hardwood finish and floors downstairs, white enameled up. Fireplace in living room, full basement. Hot air furnace. Price, $4100.00.

1534 West Wayne St., Oakland Park
New 6-room house, hardwood floors throughout, fireplace, built in bookcases in living room, oak finish in living and dining rooms, white enamel up. Gas grate in bath room, finished attic, full basement and hot air furnace. Price $7600.00

Orena Avenue, between Kibby and Eureka Street
New 6-room house, hardwood floors throughout, built in kitchen cupboard, full cemented basement, hot air furnace, gas grate in bath room. Price $5250.00.

North Baxter Street, near Ewing Avenue
New 6-room house, hardwood floors throughout, fireplace, full basement, enameled steel kitchen cabinet, gas range and ice box built in, gas grate in bath room, hot air furnace. Price, $6000.00.

356 CHESTER PLACE
5-room house, hardwood floors in living and dining rooms, finished pine in bed rooms, full basement, hot air furnace, newly painted. Price, $3500.00.

We will sell any of the above properties on easy payments. Call us for an appointment.

Frank H. Bentz Company

Realtors
Builders of Better Homes
601 Savings Bldg.
Phone, Main 3179

For Sale

5-room modern house, hardwood floors down; $3900; $500 cash. Balance as rent.

6-room modern house, hardwood floors, paved street; $5250, $500 cash, balance as rent.

6-room modern house, hardwood floors, paved street, garage, $6000; $500 cash, balance as rent.

6-room house, modern except furnace, $4100, $300 to $500 cash, balance as rent.

You can move right in any of the above houses.

6-room house, modern except furnace, paving paid; $4200 — $300 to $500 cash, balance as rent.

5 rooms and bath, paving paid, $2750, $300 cash, balance as rent.

4 rooms and bath, 5-rooms, and 6 rooms; at $2950, $1500 and $3200. $300 to $500 cash, balance as rent.

Nice West End lots, $1000, $1100, $1200, $1500, $2000, $2200 and $3300.

Joe Meinerding

210 Savings Bldg.
Call High 5060 or Lake 2000

CHARMING HOME IS NEARING COMPLETION

The fine home seeker is invited to inspect this charming and artistic home nearing completion at the corner of Wendell Ave. and Woodlawn. An unusual home of exceptional construction, embodying every modern convenience. Will be ready for occupancy within two weeks. Open today from 2 to 4.

GOODING, SONS & COMPANY
601-2 Citizens Bldg. Main 1770
Realtors

BUSINESS PROPERTY
N. Main, Corner McKibben

Solid brick, 3 stores, 2 flats, 3 single 5-room houses, lot 50x200. A splendid investment. Price $25,000. $5,000 cash.

UNION STREET
Lot 25x100

South of Spring, 7-room house. This is a good buy at $6,500.

MICHAEL & FISHEL
135½ N. Main St. Ph., Main 1075

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE

Rooming house on Elizabeth Street of 10 rooms, hot water heat, 2 baths, large basement, large lot, garages for 6 cars, drilled well, cistern, bringing in a good income. A real investment. Will sell reasonable or exchange for city property.

C. L. YAZEL
204 Holmes Block
High 2219 or Rice 2115

5 ROOM HOUSE, STRICTLY MODERN, Rice Avenue, in first class condition. Possession Jan. 1st. Priced at $6200.
T. W. BLACKBURN
Realtor
135½ N. Main St.
Phone Main 1602 or Main 6017

FOR SALE—NEW 5 ROOM COTTAGE, price $2,200; $100 cash; balance $20 per month. Address Box 1010, care News

35 REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

SPECIAL

Owner has just vacated and placed with us for immediate sale the very beautiful Home at 937 Fauret Ave. Has several features rarely found in any house and is very complete in all details. Paved drive and two-car garage. Within walking distance to town. Drapes, curtains, double rods and all go with the house. Let us show you this property. Price only on application. $1500-$2,000 will handle it.

Motter & Green

Realtors
Steiner Building Main 3141

FOR SALE

6 room modern residence, West Grand Avenue, between West and McDonel Streets, $1,250 down, balance easy terms. Call Main 6752 or Main 1669 after 5 p. m.

FOR SALE
VERY SPECIAL

5-room semi-bungalow, strictly modern garage; owner leaving city. Price reduced from $5000 to $4600.
B. S. FLOWERS
La Verne Apts. Main 7206

FOR SALE

Nine room, modern house, close in, west side, suitable for roomers, light housekeeping or duplex, large valuable lot. Leaving city, price very low.
H. A. POOL
202½ S. Main High 3845

FOR SALE BY OWNER

Good 5-room house, bath, pantry and large enclosed back porch with cistern, modern except furnace. Built-in features, all newly decorated. Nice lot with fruit trees, on N. West-st, less than two blocks from St. Rose church. Paving paid. Terms.
PHONE HIGH 3387

FOR SALE

Modern six room house with fireplace, hardwood floors, large lot, 42 x200, excellent location on paved street. 1021 N. Elizabeth. Price $5750.00. Terms — reasonable amount down, balance arranged.

L. R. McADAMS
300 Steiner Bldg. Phone Main 7564

34 PUBLIC SALES

PUBLIC SALE

3 miles northwest of Gomer, Wed., Dec. 12 at 10 a. m.
5 horses, 5 milch cows, 65 hogs, 8 sheep, corn in crib, hay, oats, International 8-16 Tractor, set P and O 14 inch plows and full line of farm implements. Household goods.

J. C. SLUSSER

PUBLIC SALE

The undersigned will offer at Public Auction at his residence, 2½ miles west of Elida, ½ mile west of old Camelback Schoolhouse, ½ mile south of Stop 13, Lima-Ft. Wayne traction line, on what is known as the Powell farm, Wednesday, December 12, 12 o'clock noon: Two horses, 2 cattle, 18 cholera immune hogs, 25 White English Leghorn Hens, a line of farm machinery, etc.

ROY GREG BARNT

PUBLIC SALE
TUESDAY, DEC. 12

Personal property of Mohola Chidester, deceased, at late residence, 2 miles east, ½ south of Beaverdam, O., consisting of household goods, furniture, 500 shocks corn, 1 cow, 1 horse, hay, oats and wheat and other articles.
WM. H. CHIDESTER, Executor

Assignee's Public Sale

— at —

East door of Court House on Saturday, December 15, 1923 at 10:00 A. M., the 80-acre farm of Theodore Roser, and known as the Harry McCoy farm, located 5½ miles west of Lima on good stone road. Has 7-room 2-story house, good garage, good big poultry house, double cribs and barn. This is a good farm. See it. Possession at once.

Also, mixed hay in barn will be sold. Inquire of

C. E. Stiles

Assignee
Opera House Blk.
Phone State 5420

HAROLD McCLAIN, Auctioneer
Can be found at Dr. Bower's Veterinary office, 112 S. Central Ave. Terms reasonable and satisfaction guaranteed. Office phone Main 2721. Residence Sub. 4031.
Dec. 11—Wm. H. Chidester, executor for Mahola Chidester, 6 miles north of Lafayette.
Dec. 14—R. Hinkle, 4 miles north of Lafayette.

L. L. MILLER
AUCTIONEER
Can be found at Drs. Fuller and Morris Veterinary office, 227 S. Pierce St. Office Phone Main 4941. Res. Phone Main 1985.
Dec. 12—A. D. Walter, 2 miles east of Wapakoneta.
Dec. 20—Arlie Copeland, 1 mile west and ¼ mile south of Cridersville.
Dec. 11th—206 W. Elm, household.
Dec. 14—E. Rader, 1 mile east and ¾ mile south of Cridersville.
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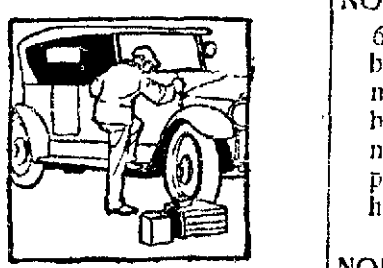

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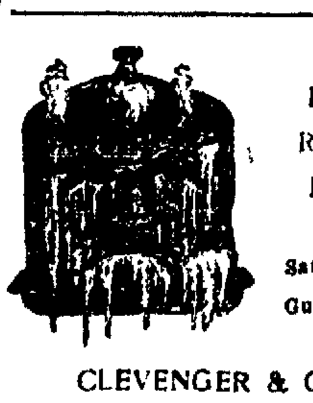

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Mainly About People

Sinclair Dean, son of H. P. Dean, will return home for the Christmas holidays He has been attending Lake Forest academy, Lak Forest, Ill., and is a member of the 1923 football squad

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Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Fisher, Mrs. Jean Hurn, Miss Madelyn Deidrich, Miss Mary McFarland, all of St. Marys, will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Smith, 720 E. Kibby-st, Sunday.

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Rev. L. L. Hammond, the new pastor of the First Christian church will be the speaker at the regular Monday evening dinner of the Yamilo club at the Y. M. C. A. The installation of new officers and plans for a Christmas party are other features of the evening's program.

OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY PRESIDENT SERIOUSLY ILL

COLUMBUS—Dr. William Oxley Thompson, president of Ohio State University, again is seriously ill at his home on the university campus, it became known Saturday.

Stricken Friday with a severe chill, he rapidly developed a high temperature and Saturday night, according to his physician, Dr. F. M. Parrett, was in the early stages of broncho-pneumonia.

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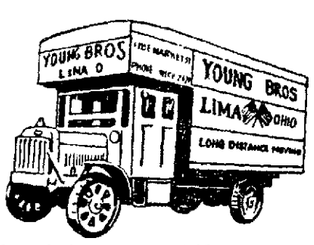

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Signatures Are Affixed to New Commercial Treaty

OTHERS TO BE ACTED ON

Convention Added to List Awaiting Senate Ratification

WASHINGTON. — (Associated Press).—Announcement was made at the state department Saturday that a commercial treaty had been signed with Germany to replace the similar convention abrogated at the time of the war, and that instructions had been sent to the minister at The Hague, Richard M. Tobin, to begin negotiations of a similar treaty with the Dutch government.

The action marks a forward step in the purpose of the Washington government to make over all of its general commercial agreements with other countries in the light of changed world conditions due to the world war. Similar negotiations have been in progress at Madrid for several months and are now being conducted with the Turkish government and with several Latin-American countries. No detailed information concerning the negotiations, however, has been made available here, beyond that all of the new treaties are to rest upon most favored nation treatment for American nationals.

UP TO SENATE

With the signing of the new German treaty another international agreement has been added to the list which await senate ratification. The two claims conventions with Mexico which are the basis of restoration of diplomatic relations between Washington and Mexico City, will be sent to the senate next week.

Behind some of the agreements lie the special liquor treaties now in progress of negotiation and hinging to some extent upon the final outcome of conversations with the British government. At the time Secretary Hughes sent to London his draft of the treaty proposing a twelve mile right of search for contraband liquor as a measure of reciprocity for treaty agreements which would remove prohibition enforcement regulations against the carriage of ships' liquor stores under seal in American territorial waters, he made similar proposals to practically all other maritime nations, including The Netherlands.

NEW LIBRARY RELEASES ANNOUNCED SATURDAY; GOOD DEMAND EXPECTED

Numerous new books were released at the Public Library Saturday. Among those released are some of the finest books of the year and the local librarian expects a big demand for them.

Following books are included in those released: Boyd-Through The Wheat; Broun-Sunfield; Canfield-Raw Material; Kyne-Never The Twain Shall Meet; Sackville-Grey Weather; Glasgow-Shadowy Third; Black-Jo Ellen; Thirty One Stories; Sabatini-Scaramouche; Walpole-Cathedral; Hough-Covered Wagon, 6 copies; Street-Cross Section; Gale-Faint Perfume; Wells-Spooky Hollow; Thurston-Miracle; Ibanez-Temptress; Yezierski-Children of Loneliness; Mansfield-Dove's Nest; Marshall- Anthony Dare; Smith-Aramintha; Buchan-Midwinter; Diver-Candles in the Wind; Stibbling-Fombombo; Merwin-Silk; Swinnerton-Young Felix; Farnol-Sir John Dering; Sackville-Challenge; Galsworthy-Captures; Galsworthy- Foresyte Saga; Hurst-Lummox; Johnston-Croatan; Bennett-Riceyman Steps; Wilson-Oh, Doctor; Sedgwick-Adrienne Toner; Anderson-Winesburg, Ohio; Hergesheimer-Java Head; Wharton-Ethan Frome; Richmond-Rufus; Irwin-Lew Tyler's Wives; Kaye-Smith-Joanna Godden; Hergesheimer-Tubal Cain; Hergesheimer-Golden Fleece; Hergesheimer-Wild Oranges; Cather-Lost Lady; Quick-Hawkeye; Lincoln-Doctor Nye; Gerould-Conquistador; Canfield-Brimming Cup; Canfield-Rough Hewn; Walpole-Jeremy & Hamlet; Cather-One of Ours, Stilson-Island God Forgot; McFee-Command; London-Call of The Wild; Train-His Children's Children; Flaubert-Madame Bovary; Caine-Woman of Knockaloe; Wharton-Son at The Front, 6 copies; Nicholson-Hope of Happiness; Walpole-Fortitude.

BOTH HUSBAND AND WIFE SEEK DIVORCE, ALIMONY

CLEVELAND — The petition of Madame Marcelle Melanowski, said to be a former star of the Folies Bergere, of Paris, for divorce and alimony from her husband Leo Melanowski, an official in a local industrial plant, was denied by Common Pleas Judge Maurice Bernon.

After looking over the elaborately dressed and jewel-adorned petitioner, Judge Bernon said:

"I wish that some of the women who came in here with half a dozen children were as well off as you are."

A counter petition filed with the court by Melanowski pleads that he be given the divorce and granted alimony.

GILDED SCEPTRES FOUND IN KING TUT'S TOMB

LUXOR, Egypt—Removal of the doors of the great blue and gold canopy over the nest of shrines in Tutenkhamun's tomb has, it is understood, revealed a find which constitutes an excellent augury for Howard Carter's high hopes of discovering for the first time in the history of Egyptology, the full picturesque regalia of an Egyptian king.

This find is a large collection of gilded sceptres both of the variety with sloping pieces and of the equally well known crook shape, the one signifying power or strength and the other rule. The Egyptian God Osiris is habitually depicted as carrying one or both.

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COOLIDGE URGED TO EXTEND CIVIL SERVICE

WASHINGTON—President Coolidge is urged to place under civil service classification many of the 12,000 government positions now specifically excluded by law and which are "looked upon as spoils for the victors in political contests" by the civil service commission in its annual report made public Saturday.

The commission also definitely recommends classification of postmasters at first, second and third class offices, numbering about 14,000. Classification of these positions, now required to be appointed by the president, would relieve him of a great burden and assure the government of a more efficient administration than is possible with the frequent changes now almost unavoidable, the commission states.

PLAN TO REORGANIZE FARM BUREAU OFFERED

CHICAGO—A drastic plan for reorganization of the American Farm Bureau Federation, drafted by Samuel R. Guard, who afterward said he believed Frank O. Lowden of Illinois would be an "ideal" president of the reorganized federation, was introduced at the meeting of the executive board of the federation here Saturday. It was introduced in connection with criticism of an act in the administration of President O. E. Bradfute, Xenia, Ohio, and with an attempt to overrule that action.

TAGGART GIVES $500 TO HARDING MEMORIAL FUND

INDIANAPOLIS — To Thomas Taggart, former United States senator and one of the most widely known Democrats in the country, was accorded the honor of making the first contribution in Indiana to the Harding memorial fund. It was announced Saturday night. His contribution was $500.

TO VOTE ON STRIKE

DETROIT—Refusal of Canadian railroads to accept a conciliation board award granting certain classes of maintenance of way men a wage increase of two cents an hour led Saturday to the mailing of strike ballots to approximately 30,000 Canadian members of the United Brotherhood of Maintenance of Way Employes and Railway Shop Laborers.

PUPILS IN RURAL SCHOOLS EXAMINED BY COUNTY NURSE

Inspection of school children in Perry-tp schools was completed Saturday by the school nurse. The report is as follows: School, Amherst, pupils, 25, normal, 2, decayed teeth, 10, abnormal throats, 11, imperfect breathing, 2, enlarged glands, 2, defective vision, 3, underweight, 9, without defects, 4, corrections, 6;

Fairview schools, pupils, 19, normal, 3, defective teeth, 14, abnormal throats, 3, imperfect breathing, 1, enlarged glands, 1, defective vision, 4, underweight, 4, without defects, 3, corrections, 4;

Franklin school, 15 pupils, normal, 0, decayed teeth, 12, abnormal throats, 6, imperfect breathing 5, enlarged glands, 1, defective vision, 4, underweight, 7, without defects, 1, corrections, 3;

Hullinger school, pupils, 15, normal, 1, decayed teeth 5, abnormal throats, 7, defective vision, 3, underweight, 4, without defects, 1.

Perry Center, pupils 32, normal, 5, decayed teeth, 25, abnormal throats, 11, imperfect breathing, 2, defective vision, 3, underweight, 11, without defects, 6, corrections, 4.

Ridenour school, 36 pupils, normal, 5, decayed teeth, 19, abnormal throats, 24, imperfect breathing, 3, enlarged glands, 1, defective vision, 11, underweight, 11, without defects, 6, corrections, 2.

Rousculp, pupils, 25, normal, 5, decayed teeth, 14, abnormal throast, 8, imperfect breathing 1, enlarged glands, 1, defective vision, 2, underweight, 8, without defects, 8, corrections, 5.

Perry Special, Bowman school, pupils, 20, normal 4, decayed teeth, 16, abnormal throats, 12; imperfect breathing, 1, defective vision, 2, underweight, 7, without defects, 6, corrections, 7.

Lones, pupils, 41, normal, 4, decayed teeth, 21, abnormal throats, 12, imperfect breathing 2, defective vision, 6, underweight, 8, without defects, 9, corrections, 7.

Schedule of the nurse for this week is as follows: McBeth school, Monday and Tuesday; Hume school, Wednesday and Thursday; Kemp school, Friday. Parents are invited to attend these schools on the days the nurse inspects the pupils.

FIRE TAKES $50,000 TOLL

ATHENS, Ohio.—Fire of unknown origin Saturday damaged the Moore Russell building to the extent of $50,000.

DETECTIVE ASSAULTED HIM, TRAINRIDER SAYS

Charges that Railroad Detective Sergeant Stein assaulted him without provocation after removing him from an Erie freight train were made Saturday night by Lewis Irving Garrison, 30, of Danbury, Conn., after his arrest for train riding.

In response to a call for assistance, Police Inspector Strick went to Reese-av where Stein had Garrison. While enroute to the station Garrison said Stein assaulted him, striking him on the jaw. Stein admitted the charges, claiming that Garrison fought to escape arrest for trespassing on company property.

CHANCELLOR'S MEASURE ADOPTED BY REICHSTAG

BERLIN—Chancellor Marx's authorization law, granting his cabinet plenary powers to run the government's affairs without parliamentary sanction for an indefinite period, was adopted by a heavy majority in the reichstag Saturday. The vote was 313 to 18.

The bill had the undivided support of the four middle parties which constitute the present coalition, and the full approval of the United Socialists, whose ballots more than nullified the opposition of the Nationalists and Communists.

25,000,000 SUFFERING FROM DEFECTIVE VISION

NEW YORK.—Fully 25,000,000 gainfully employed Americans are suffering from defective vision, it was announced Saturday by the Eye Sight Conservation Council of America in making public a partial report of its survey of eyesight conditions in the nation's industries.

In the Detroit plant of the Ford Motor Car Co., says the report, 25,000 out of 60,000 workers have defective vision. E. I. Dupont De Nemours and Co. at Wilmington, Del., as well as the Ford plant at Detroit, has adopted a system of eyesight conservation among its employes, the report adds.

KILLS SELF 24 HOURS AFTER BEING DIVORCED

TOLEDO—Mrs. Dora Ashley, 46, whose husband, Frederick Ashley, was awarded a divorce at Sandusky on Friday, committed suicide at her home here Saturday afternoon.

DON'T SEE BODY IN TRAIN VICTIM

Suicide Suspected in Death of Williams Tramp

County and city officials Saturday put under way an intensive probe to determine the identity of the unknown tramp killed Saturday morning by a east bound Erie freight six miles west of Lima.

Six hundred persons viewed the mangled body Saturday at Williams-Davis mortuary without clearing up the mystery of the man's identity.

Sheriff Harvey Crouson and Dr. Frank Smith, county coroner, viewed the body Saturday shortly after the accident. Verdict of accidental death was pronounced, eliminating the theory that the stranger might have been the victim of foul play.

Theory of suicide entered strongly in the strange case. Fact that every mark of recognition was obliterated from the clothing and every tell-tale scrap of paper and letters was removed, gives credence to belief the man might have tired of living and threw himself under the train.

Statement by Mrs. Homer Lehman, who saw the man shortly before the Erie signal crew found the near lifeless body at the side of the tracks, that only one man was in sight when the train passed her home eliminates the possibility of foul play and bears out the suppositions of accidental death or suicide.

Police have not been requested officially to aid in solving the mystery of the man's identity, according to Chief T. A. Lanker, but from statements Saturday night at headquarters it is expected the department will photograph the body and forward photographs to the principal cities in this vicinity.

STORE ROBBED

YOUNGSTOWN — While police were searching for four bandits who Saturday morning held up the Elmst branch of the Dollar Savings and Trust Co. and escaped with $700, three robbers Saturday night held up a chain store in a residence section and fled in an automobile with $40. The morning robbery was the second holdup of the bank this fall.

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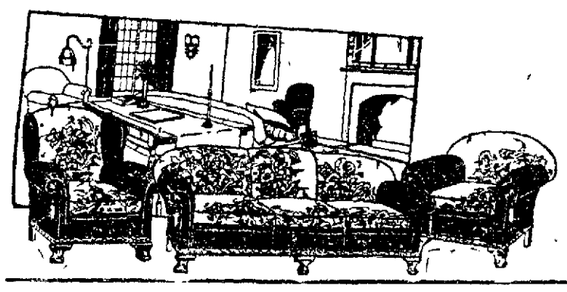

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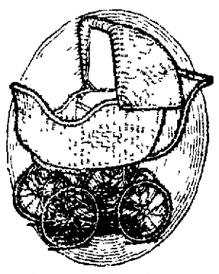

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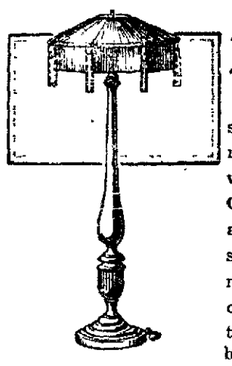

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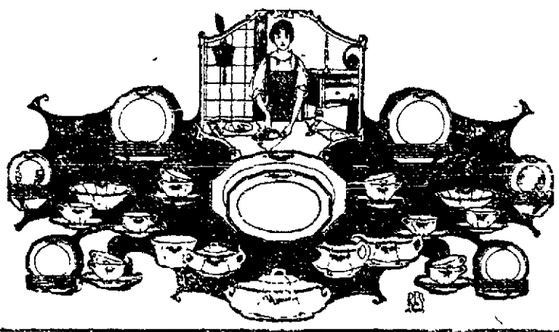

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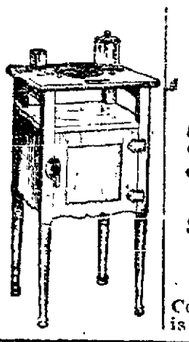

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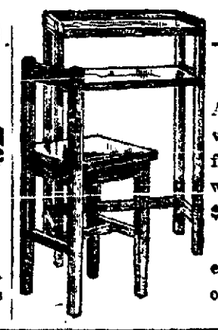

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RESIDENTS FIGHT SMOKE

Plan Petition for Ordinance to Abate Nuisance

SEEK COMMISSION'S ACTION

Administration Favors Scheme City Manager Says

Determined to get the smoke nuisance abated in some way, and, since there is no city legislation to prevent the smoke nuisance, residents living in the vicinity of the White Mountain Creamery Co. Saturday served notice on City Manager Bingham that they are going to start a petition under the provision of the city charter, for an ordinance compelling the use of smoke arresters and the complete abatement of the smoke nuisance in this city.

Under the provision of Section 80 of the charter, petitions to initiate an ordinance must contain the signature of "ten per cent of the total number of the registered voters in the municipality." Petitions must be uniform in character and shall contain the proposed ordinance in full, according to the charter. Five electors must sign the petition for the purpose of filing it and these five, under charter constitute the committee of petitioners.

FAVOR PROPOSAL

Manager Bingham Saturday assured the interested parties that the present city commission is strongly favorable to the proposed legislation. He did not make public the names of those who came to see him about the petition but said at least 16 persons living in the vicinity of the creamery company have indicated, so he was told, their willingness to serve on the committee of five to file the petition.

From the information given to the city manager he believes the circulation of the petition will be started within a short time and that it probably will be presented to the new commission soon after that body is organized.

A. I. U. ELECTS OFFICERS

Lima Chapter No. 6 American Insurance Union, at its regular meeting Thursday night, elected the following officers for the coming year: President, Charles G. Kesler; vice-president, Leslie Cusick; secretary Margaret Ruck; treasurer, George Ruck; chaplain, Trevola Lyle; marshal, Ella Crawford; custodian, Myrtle Smith; Warder, Lineus Kahler; argus, Francis Ruck; trustee, Prini Downing; degree staff captain, Mary Cusick; musician Thelma Symond and junior regent, Hazel Sunderland. The officers-elect will be installed Jan. 3.

CONDITION COMFORTABLE

Condition of Mrs. Charles D. Rush of Ottawa, who is at St. Rita's hospital recovering from an operation Friday, was reported as being comfortable early Sunday morning.

FOOD FOR ALL, IS CHRISTMAS AIM

Christmas Mother's Official Assistants Named

Completion of the organization to assist Mrs. Beecher Moke, the Christmas Mother, was carried out Saturday afternoon at a meeting of a large group of women on the third floor of the Business College-bldg.

Officers named to assist Mrs. Moke are: Vice-chairman, Mrs. Abner Jones; secretary, Mrs. J. E. Dexter; treasurer, Mrs. Louis Fall. Mrs. J. E. Grosjean was named honorary chairman.

It is the intention of the organization this Christmas to render material aid to all needy families and also hold friendly visits.

"There must not be a home in Lima that is with ut food at Christmas," Mrs. Moke declared. Every organization in the city has promised the utmost cooperation with the Christmas Mother.

Headquarters of the Christmas Mother will be on the third floor of the Business College-bldg. Telephone number is Main 7921. The office will act as a clearing house and persons knowing of families that will need aid at Christmas time or those wishing to report gifts are asked to call the office.

The information committee will begin work Wednesday and will take care of all reports.

The Christmas Mother also is arranging to have children sing Christmas carols at the various institutions in Lima and also at some of the homes. Carol singers will be properly chaperoned.

Members of the friendly visitation committee are Mrs. M. P. Colt, Mrs. A. W. Kahle, Mrs. A. E. Gale, Mrs. Nelson Shook, Mrs. Michael Lynch, Mrs. John Galvin, Mrs. George Metheany, Mrs. J. E. Corwin, Mrs. George Herrett, Miss Anna Moore, Miss Celia Barrett, Mrs. E. C. Yingling, Miss Hattie McMary, Mrs. F. H. Creps and Mrs Samuel Weinfeld.

Registration committee: Mrs. Charles Killen, Miss Florence Dorsey, Mrs. Fred Becker, Mrs. Frank Hume, Mrs. J. V. Dimond, Mrs. F. D. Bradley, Mrs. George Carter, Mrs. Maude Matthews, Mrs. Frank Maire.

Buying committee, Mrs. J. E. Grosjean, Mrs. A. S. Bowers.

Music committee, Mrs. C. A. Black, chairman, Mrs. P. J. Hobart, Mrs. W. A. Sifred, Miss Grace Reynolds.

STRIKE VOTED DOWN

SCRANTON, Pa.—Twenty thousand employes of the Hudson Coal Co. mines in the local district voted Saturday night to remain at work pending adjustment of their many grievances. The strike of 17,000 Lehigh Valley Coal Company miners in the Pittstown Moosic district, which went into effect today, remains unchanged.

CROSSING CRASH VICTIM TO BE BURIED TUESDAY

Funeral services for Mrs. William Henry, 47, of 1052 S. Union-st, who was killed almost instantly Saturday morning while on her way to church, will be held Tuesday at 9 a. m. at St. John's church. The body will be laid to rest at Gethsemane.

Mrs. Henry met her death at the S. Main-st crossing of the Lake Erie & Western railroad when struck by a freight train.

AMBULANCE REMOVALS

WILLIAMS & Davis: Mrs. Elmer Moorman, City hospital to 604 S Scott-st; Mrs. W. J. Ryan, City hospital to 823 Michael-av.

KILLED BY AUTO

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Pearl Hominy—6 lbs. for	25c
New Rolled Oats, 6 lbs. for	25c
Edgemont Crackers, lb.	15c
New Prunes, lb.	10c
Sun Maid Raisins, pkg.	15c
Potatoes—in 2½ bu. bag lots—bu.	75c
Apples—Baldwins or Greenings	$1.25
Pure Buckwheat Flour—5 lb. sack	25c
Pride or Sweet Home Flour	75c
10 Classic Soap	43c
10 P. & G. or Flake White Soap	48c
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New Navel Oranges, doz.	35c
Our Pure Pork Sausage	15c
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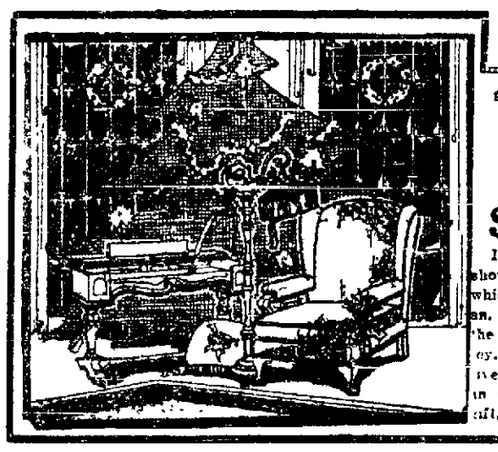

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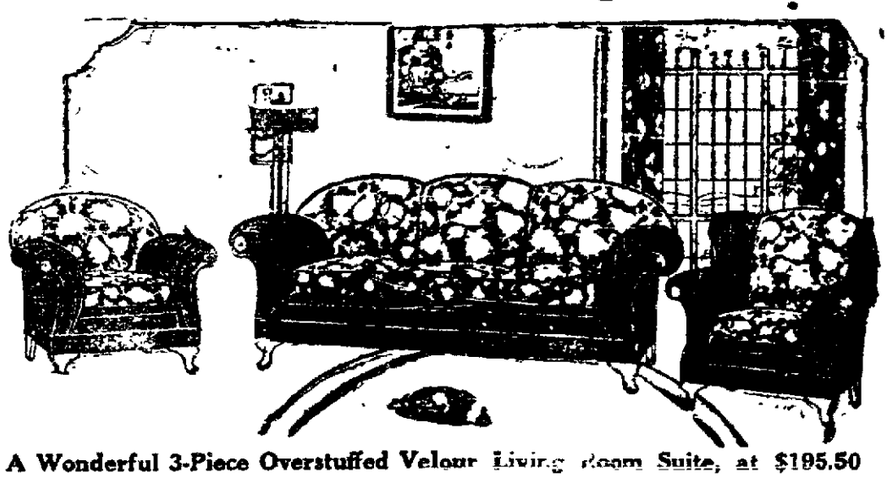

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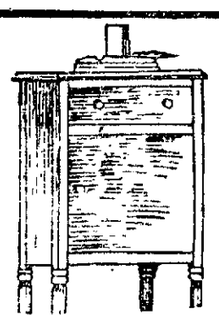

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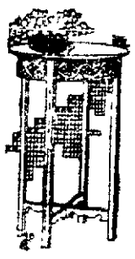

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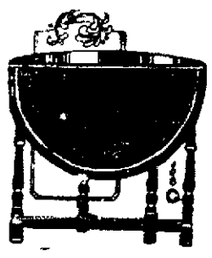

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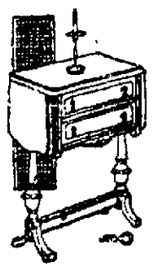

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DIPHTHERIA HITS CHILDREN MOST

County Health Commissioner Tells How to Combat It

STATE HAS BIG INCREASE

Changeable Weather Affects Throats, He Asserts

With diphtheria on the increase in Ohio and a number of cases in Allen-co, mostly confined to Harrod and Auglaize-tps, Dr. J. J. Sutter, county health commissioner, has prepared an article for the benefit of the public.

Dr. Sutter says diphtheria still is confined largely to the bigger cities of the state. He declares that diphtheria is not a necessary disease and a trouble that can be avoided providing proper preventive measures are taken.

"Diphtheria begins to increase during September and reaches its crest in mid-winter, continuing until spring, but the disease is never eliminated," Dr. Sutter declares. Reason why it is most prevalent in winter is not because of the congregating of children in schools as believed by some, but rather because of the changeable weather, and indoor living conditions causing more favorable throats for the germ to enter. It is a disease of the throat, nose or trachea, caused by a small germ, which produces an ashen gray membrane.

HITS YOUNG CHILDREN

Dr. Sutter says diphtheria is a disease of children of school age and younger, but rarely is found in babies under six months of age. But after babyhood mothers should beware of the germ, for more than one-seventh of all the deaths of children three and four years of age are caused by diphtheria, and more than two-thirds of all deaths from diphtheria are in children under school age. Diphtheria spreads slowly from children to children and from community to community.

"Early use of antitoxins would have prevented practically all of the fatal cases. Anti-toxine is now distributed free to all physicians, no case of diphtheria need suffer from the lack of it," Dr. Sutter says.

"Isolation of all cases and also of all carriers is most important. Carriers are persons who have the germ in their throats but are not sick.

"Diphtheria is preventable and when properly treated with antitoxine is curable. If a small dose of antitoxine is given to susceptible exposed persons they are immunized. This immunization usually lasts from two to three weeks.

An active immunity to diphtheria may be induced by the injection of a mixture of toxin-antitoxine subcutaneously. The toxine-antitoxine method of inducing an immunity to diphtheria is as valuable and practical as the injection of vaccine in the prevention of typhoid fever.

OUGHT TO KNOW

"Every child over 6 months old and under 18 years of age and every person who frequently comes in contact with diphtheria cases or persons who nurse cases ought to know whether they are immune or not and if not immune should be immunized with toxin-antitoxine.

"The length of time it requires for the germ to disappear from the throat and nose varies greatly. The earliest time given in any case was three days after the disappearance of the membrane, and in a large percent of cases they persist for seven days and some for weeks and in a few instances the organism remained for months—we usually consider the latter cases as 'carriers'.

"The end of a period of isolation in diphtheria is determined by the absence of germs from the throat and nose.

"The patient may feel well and the throat may appear to be well, and yet it continues to harbor virulent germs. No patients are released until the throat and nose are free from virulent germs.

"The health department urges strongly the concurrent disinfection of all linens, bedding, clothes and other articles exposed to disease producing germs, also advises frequent baths and the use of antiseptic solutions as sprays for the nose and throat of the patient.

Dr. Evans of Chicago, says that 'The little regard in which fumigation is now held is due to the discovery that contagion is spread more by peosons than by objects, and people cannot be fumigated. If germs of contagion get on beds, rugs, carpets and walls they are dried quickly and quickly die. The number of germs there located is not large. Efforts spent in disinfecting sputum, nose secretions and mouth secretions is more effective'.

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CHANGE MADE IN FORD SALES

VINCENT McGRAW

G. E. Woodruff was made manager of Lincoln car sales by the Timmerman Motor Sales company, Saturday. He was formerly manager of the Timmerman service department. Gerald Sissler, who has been foreman of the repair department under Woodruff, takes the managership of the entire service department. Clarence Baker is now in charge of repairs.

"Gent" Woodruff came with the Ford Agency eight years ago and has worked his way through every department of the service organization, parts, repairs, general service and sales. He is said by the company to be one of the best experienced of the Timmerman employes and fully qualified to take charge of the new position as Lincoln Sales manager under the general management Forest Wooley.

His successor in the company department is a Ford factory trained efficiency expert with years of experience, both practical and technical.

Vincient McGraw, who, for the past five years has been with the United States Rubber company, Saturday accepted a position with the sales organization of the Timmerman Ford company.

G. E. WOODRUFF

ALIENS RUSH FOR CITIZENSHIP

Some Fear Deportation Laws Coming, Clerk Believes

An increase in the number aliens who are making application for naturalization in Allen-co is noted by John T. Cotner, clerk of the courts, despite restriction of immigration from abroad, which is calculated to reduce the number of foreigners coming to our shores.

Cotner attributes the increase in part to fear that laws of drastic characters eventually may be passed in the United States which will result in deportation of persons who have resided here for a certain period without becoming naturalized.

Application for naturalization are filed in Cotner's office. He meets and talks with those who apply and gets their view point.

Many applicants coming in have resided in the country sometimes as long as a quarter of a century, without seeing the need of procuring the right to take part in its affairs.

Of recent years the desire has been created among them, some from one cause, some from another.

Indications are that the record class of 18 applicants who were examined Dec. 3 will be exceeded in April when another big class comes before the court.

Applications for first papers were filed Saturday by John G. Gianacopulos, 31, Greek cook, 121 E. North-st, George Gavalos, 26, Greek, waiter, and Josel Bronfen, 31, Russian, 507 E. Market-st.

Bronfen was turned down for admission as a citizen by Judge Becker, Dec. 3, on the ground that he claimed exemption from military service in 1917.

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"The construction program for our new foundries is being developed as rapidly as possible," he continued. "The sand storage building is already completed and in use, and work is progressing for the other units of the plant, which, when completed, will cover seven acres of ground.

"With the gradual increase of machinery equipment, provisions for electrical power which we believed were ample at the time of building the factory two years ago have already proved inadequate, and additional switches and transformers are now being installed to carry the additional load of current.

"Expansion of the enameling department to accommodate a 40 per cent increase in enameling production has necessitated the removal of the whole wheel-painting department to the body plant to release additional space.

"With the many improvements which have been incorporated in the V-63, there is the continuous call for advance in manufacturing economy: and during the past year the completion of our salvage building and the introduction of many minor changes in methods in the manufacturing building have recorded notable progress in this direction."

CLOTHING STOLEN

Police were searching Saturday for a man, woman and child said to have been implicated in the theft Friday night of clothing from the Harrod house. Police report states that the man obtained a room for his wife and child. After their departure the occupant of the adjoining room discovered a suit of clothing and an overcoat had been stolen from his room.

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FLORIDA LAYING MORE ROADS

Florida is spending $60,000,000 in the state's greatest road improvement program, affecting practically all of the 63 counties. More than half that enormous amount was voted by the various counties since the first of the year. In addition to the road bonds passed by the electorate, other millions are being expended by developers who are opening up new estate sites throughout Florida and particularly in the west coast.

Activity at this time is centered on the main arteries leading to winter resorts in the state, over which roads, thousands of motor cars will travel during the season.

Florida's gigantic improvement program came about after two years of concentrated effort on the part of motor clubs and civic bodies in the state. They got solidly behind every bond election and were successful in having most of the issues passed by substantial majorities.

In Pinellas-co where St. Petersburg is located, close to $5,000,000 is being spent in the establishment of new highways and in re-paving and widening the old roads. Of that sum, $3,000,000 was voted for by the citizens of the county while the remainder is being spent by developers. Pasadena on the Gulf, a restricted suburb of St. Petersburg, recently established, is spending $800,000 for new brick roads and stone pavement. Besides the extensive road improvements, the county and state are completing two new concrete bridges totaling $750,000 in cost.

Another bridge engineering feat, which when completed will be the longest of its kind in the world, is the Gandy Causeway, costing $2,500,000, spanning Tampa Bay connecting this city with Tampa. This project will be completed in the late Spring of 1924.

Roy D. Dew, president of the St. Petersburg Motor Club who has just returned to the "Sunshine City" from a survey of road conditions thruout Florida maintains that the state had by Nov. 15th, completed more mileage of hard surfaced roads than any other Southern State and more than any other State in the Union with a similar population, even tho, the improvement program has just started well under way.

PREPARING FOR COLD WEATHER

Before any anti-freeze solution is placed in the radiator, the circulating system should be inspected for leaks, and repairs made, if necessary. It is usually a good pain to replace the hose connections at this time of the year. Do not use anti-freeze compounds containing calcium chloride or other similar salts, as they corrode the inside of the radiator. The only satisfactory liquid is alcohol and water. During the winter, the fan belt can be loosened. This will reduce the flow of air thru the radiator and will allow the motor to run warmer than it otherwise would.

A painter's brush that is thick and soft is preferable to waste for use in removing dust from the engine.

Too much oil on the clutch reduces the co-efficient of friction, and consequently the ability of the clutch to transmit power.

ROLLIN NOW ON MARKET

Unusual interest has been centered around America's latest automobile, due in a large measure to the fact that this new product was designed by Rollin White, who for years has been a conspicuous engineering figure in the automobile industry.

Considerable secrecy, too, has been wrapped about this car and, while the trade at large knew it was in the development stage for the past several years, very little beyond that fact was known except to those intimately associated with its famous designer.

It is interesting to note that the most important unit of this car, the motor, has many brand new features developed by Rollin White. The motor itself is of the light weight European type and in it is embodied the same fine character of engineering as you will find in the highest priced American eights or twelves. It is extremely light, simple and compact.

Much interest is shown in the fact that the new Rollin is the first popular priced car to be equipped with the internal type of 4-wheel brakes. This is the type that has proved so popular with engineers of the great European countries where motor car engineering is developed to the nth degree.

Still another surprise of exceptional consequence is the fact that the Rollin is the first popular priced car to incorporate Firestone Balloon Tires as standard equipment. Balloon Tires are a feature with which the public is not so very familiar but, in a word, they give to the car a new sensation in luxurious riding comfort never before attained. Balloon tire mean more comfortable riding, easier steering, and skidless driving. Balloon tires eliminate all road irregularities. They smooth out the rough spots and even obliterate deep ruts and cobblestones. Every shock, jar and jolt is cushioned.

The new Rollin models are now being shipped to various parts of the country, in addition to being on display at the various national automobile shows that will shortly start. Rollin demonstrators will be shipped to this city in the very near future.

GLENARM, Md.—After rambling the countryside for seventeen years, a Ford car owned by J. F. Mumma is still giving good service. Originally painted red, but now a dark blue, no doors in front, straight rear axles with keyway and pin, the "Model N" 1906 Ford is attracting considerable attention.

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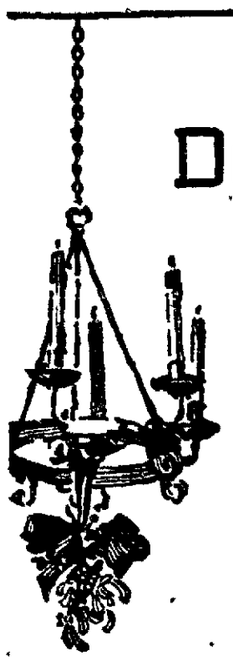

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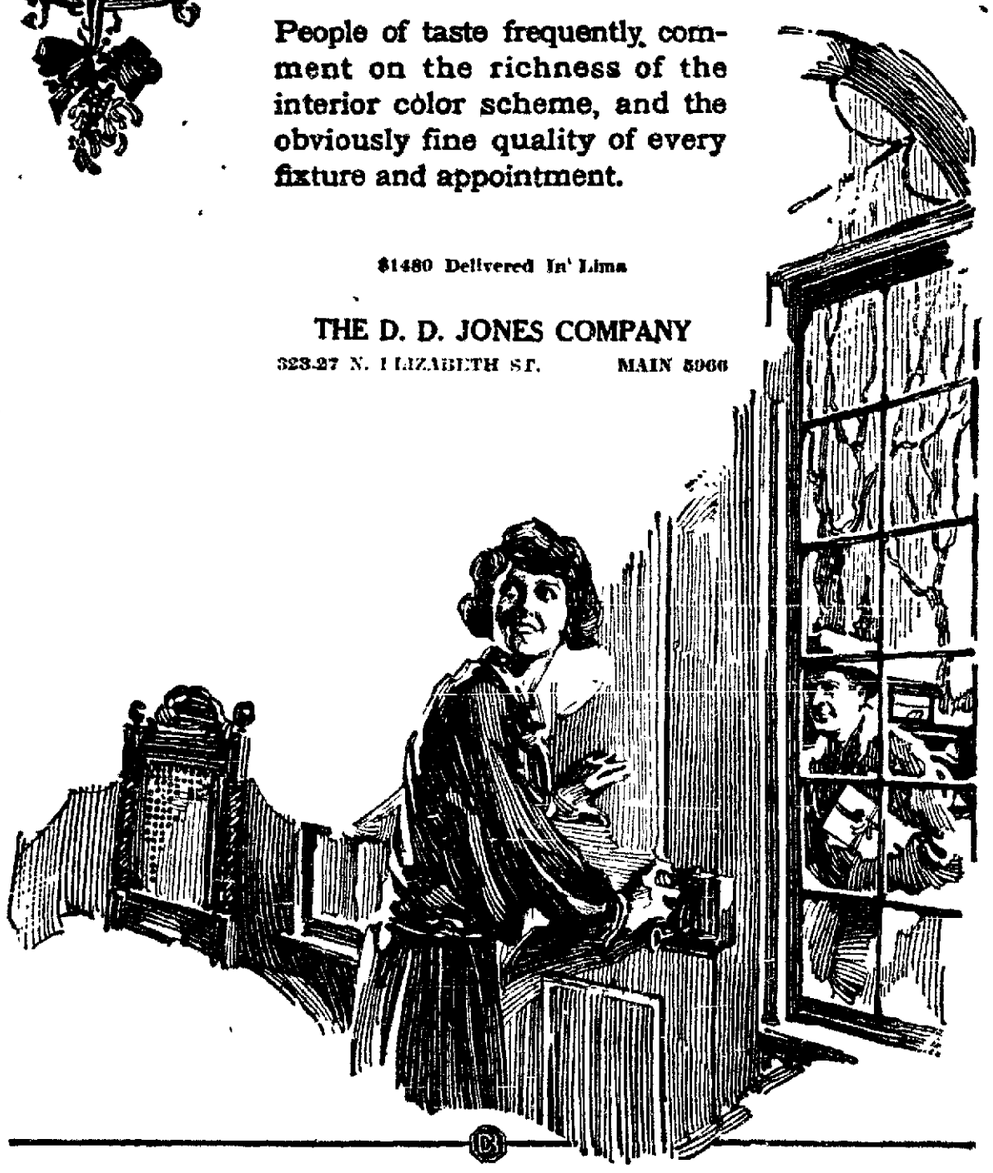

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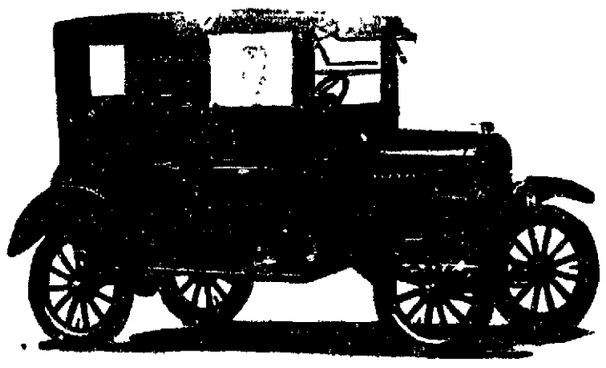

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MOTOR CAR REVOLUTIONIZES MODERN TIMES

ELECTRICITY AND MOTOR CARS

"The progress of electrical development is remarkable in all aspects. It has played a large part in making the motor car the leading factor in modern transportation," says J. O Breese local dealer in Durant and Star cars

"The first motor cars or horseless carriages, as they were then called, used no electricity. One of the earliest cars used illuminating gas for fuel, carrying a considerable supply in tanks. The ignition was by means of heated tubes, which forced combustion.

"A few years later Benz and Daimler used the make-and-break spark system, which, tho less efficient than modern systems, was far superior to hot tubes. Then came the jump spark which is still in use.

"At first the electricity was furnished by wet cells and later by dry batteries. Finally the magneto was built and for many years was in universal use. The present day distributor takes its current from a storage battery that is charged by a generator which furnishes power as well for lights, whereas the magneto furnished the current for ignition only.

"If there is a motorist who really enjoys cranking a car, he is a decided exception to the rule, yet for several years after automobiles entered quantity production, thousands of cars were built without self starters These, after their general adoption in 1910 and 1011, were quickly perfected to such a degree that the modern driver rarely needs to use the crank, and it is carried only for emergency use.

"Headlights and tail lights have also developed greatly. At first kerosene lights were used both fore and aft, then gas light replaced the oil in front. Finally electricity replaced both.

"Among later developments are the spot lights, stop signals, cigar lighters, dash lights and electric heaters Closed cars, which at first were devoid of lights, are now cheerfully illuminated by dome or corner lights. The strides of automotive engineers have been great in the past quarter century, and electricians have kept even pace with them."

A BEAUTY HINT

To overcome any danger of any scratches or other injury to the enamel finish of a car while working around the engine, the fender may be covered with a piece of oilcloth lined with some soft material.

MOTORS AND THEIR CARE

RADIUM "GAS" INDICATOR

The luminous tip of an old watch or clock hand, applied to the indicator of a gasoline-tank gauge, obviates the use of dangerous lights.

UTILIZING THE FELT HAT

By using the felt of an old hat, washers may be made for packing the stuffing boxes of the water pump. These are made more effective if the felt has been boiled in a mixture of tallow and plumbago.

BATTERY LOGIC

Always keep the battery in a vertical position when taking it out or replacing it in the car. Some sediment may be in the bottom of the jars, and tipping them may cause the sediment to get between the plates and so short-circuit them.

NEGLECTED TREAD CUTS

Watch for the little tread cuts in tire casings. If the cuts are neglected, the flexing action of the tire will enlarge and dirt, grime and moisture will be forced thru the cuts by the elastic tread rubber as the wheels revolve. Foreign matter will deteriorate, chafe and weaken the carcass.

IMPORTANCE OF TIGHT PARTS

A wrench and screwdriver should be applied occasionally to every part of the car to make sure everything istight. A car is subject to considerable vibration and there is danger of the nuts and bolts coming loose at the base. If this is not attended to almost anything may hapnen, from oil leakage to a wrecked engine.

TIPS TO SAVE "GAS"

Well inflated tires.
Proper carburetor adjustment.
Brakes in correct working order.
Lubricate all working parts to assure smooth running.
Disengage the clutch whenever possible, and coast.
Obtain sufficient momentum when approaching a heavy grade to carry the car a considerable distance up the grade before making it necessary to change gears.

Brass polish should never be used on nickel trimmings, as abrasive particles in the polish scratch the surface.

Loads on the running board of cars should not extend beyond the hub caps on the left side, nor more than six inches on the right side.

BUY AUTOMOBILES ON TIME

"Buying an automobile on time is a perfect sound and legitimate business proceeding."

"In fact it is better business to buy a motor car on time than to pay all cash.

"Especially is this true of the business man, who on a year's turnover of his capital, should make this money earn several times the interest charge on time payments on his new car

"The theory that one should not buy an automobile until he had enough cash in the bank and could spare it for this 'extravagance' dates from that pre-historic period when a motor car was not yet known as the greatest of all necessities, but was considered a luxury that could be dispensed with

"Today all realize that a car pays for itself while it is being paid for.

"It not only increases its owner's efficiency and earning power, but the absence of a car renders him unable to keep up with modern life and methods at all.

"Even bankers who used to issue periodical warnings against the practice of buying cars on time, now advise this course

"Their attitude is not entirely unselfish now — nor was it then, of course

"Bankers are more interested in Savings Accounts than in any other branch of their business. And they used to resent the purchase of a car because it meant just so much less money deposited at three to four percent with them

"However, the motor car proved itself so desirable and indispensable that people not only disregard the advice to 'forego the car and keep the money in the Savings Bank but proceed to save until there was enough to buy a car--and then drew out the entire amount'

"Nowadays your banker advises you to purchase the car on time—not to pay all cash!

"It is a poor procedure to cripple your business by taking out of it the price of a car in a lump sum.

"On the other hand it will help your business to get a car and pay for it while using it—just as you do for a house.

"If everyone waited until he had enough money saved up to pay spot cash for his home—few would own them.

"But a house that may last several generations is secure by a small down payment and installments over a period of years.

"This is universally conceded to be good practice and all bankers encourage it.

"If a house should be bought on time, so should an automobile. Both serve for a term of years and both add to the earning capacity as well as the happiness and social standing of the owner.

PRICE REDUCTION INCREASES VALUE

"Quality Cars at Quantity Prices" has been the slogan of the Chevrolet for many months. And it is not merely a slogan, but a fact, as any of the more than a million owners will testify. Now, quality has been increased per dollar of cost thru the recent price reduction.

Never before in the history of the automobile business has so much automobile value been offered per dollar of price.

The newspapers and magazines are full of articles about the low purchasing power of today's dollar—that present high wages are more than offset by the high prices of general commodities.

Farmers, in particular, have been demanding a more equitable trading basis for their products in comparison with manufactured products.

Therefore when the Chevrolet Motor Company, in the face of high wages, high material costs, and a demand for its product in excess of current supply, announced such extensive price reductions on September 1st, a strong impression of leadership and strength was given to the whole public and to the trade.

OTHERS FOLLOW CHEVROLET

This action has been of necessity, followed by others, but buyers recall that Chevrolet took the initiative towards more Economical Transportation

The point is that people no longer have to pay high prices to get high-quality automobiles.

Those of the modest purses, who must give cost first consideration, are bound to select Chevrolet, not only because the purchase price is so near that of the lowest priced car in the market, but also because now, more than ever before, Chevrolet, thruout the life of the car, averages the lowest cost per mile in transportation—price, carrying charges and upkeep considered.

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33x4 Oldfield Cord	$18.95
34x4 Oldfield Cord	$19.95
32x4½ Oldfield Cord	$23.95
33x4½ Oldfield Cord	$24.95
34x4½ Oldfield Cord	$25.95
35x4½ Oldfield Cord	$26.75
36x4½ Oldfield Cord	$27.95
33x5 Oldfield Cord	$29.95
35x5 Oldfield Cord	$32.95
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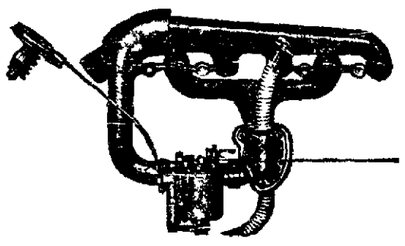

Buick	$24.00
Cadillac	32.50
Chandler	24.00
Chevrolet	19.50
Dodge	19.00
Dort	18.50
Durant	19.00
Essex	28.50
Ford	18.75
Gardner	18.50
Hudson	32.50
Maxwell	19.50
Nash	22.50
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Third 4¼'s	99.80
Fourth 4¼'s	98.10
New 4¼'s	99.70

NEW YORK—(Associated Press) —Spirited buying of higher priced tobacco shares and specialties, many of which reached new high levels for the year, featured Saturday's brief session of the stock market. It was one of the most active half holiday sessions this year, total sales running over 700,000 shares. New 1923 tops were established by Liggett and Meyers, which closed 1½ 1-2 points higher at 240; Tobacco Products at 78 3-4; Schulte Stores at 116 3-4; Philip Morris at 23 7-8; New York Central at 106 3-4; Baltimore and Ohio at 60 3-4; Kresge at 300; Armour of Delaware preferred at 94 1-8; General Electric at 197 and by National Supply, Willys-Overland common, United Fruit and Computing, Tabulating and Recording. Tobacco Products and Schulte dropped sharply on profit-taking in the final dealings.

Railroad shares enjoyed a brief interval of strength but the heavy selling of the northwestern carriers, apparently based on speculative fear of a reduction in the freight rates on grain as suggested in the president's address to congress, brought about a reaction before the close. Losses of a point or more were registered by Chicago Northwestern common and preferred, Omaha and Northern Pacific. Jersey Central jumped nine points on a small turnover.

STANDARD INDUSTRIALS

Standard industrial shares failed to make much progress, U. S. Steel common, Baldwin and American Can all showing fractional recessions. Studebaker showed a nominal gain but active buying took place in other sections of the automotive group, gains of 1 to 4 points being recorded by Stromberg Carburetor, Stewart-Warner, Fisher Body, Bosch Magneto, Chandler, Maxwell Motors A., dropped more than a point.

Independent oil stocks improved in further reflection of decreased crude oil production, Marland standing out with a gain of nearly 2 points.

The weekly clearing house statement showed decreases of $42,414,-000 in loans, discounts and investments and $57,142,000 in net demand deposits. Reserve of member banks in the federal reserve bank increased $5,789,000 and time deposits increased $2,921,000. Aggregate reserve totaled $529,816,-000 leaving excess reserve of $25,-[illegible]g,930, an increase of $12,541,100 over the week before.

Trading in the foreign exchanges was rather quiet owing to the church holiday in many countries. Demand sterling dropped 5-8 of a cent to $4.35 7-8. French francs held firm around 5.33 1-2c and the other principal European rates showed slight recessions.

SCHOOL CHILDREN TO AID SALVATION ARMY

Captain F. W. Wilkinson of the Salvation Army has arranged with School Superintendent J. E. Collins to place barrels in every public school, in Lima on Thursday, Dec. [illegible] for pupils to place canned goods, [illegible]ies, potatoes and other eatables, which will be used to fill the Christmas baskets to be sent to the needy families of Lima during the Christmas season.

The Salvation Army placed four Christmas kettles on the streets Saturday and Captain Wilkinson reported a good start. Virtually all money received in the kettles will be used to buy food and other necessities for families in Lima which cannot afford to buy.

Arrangements are being made by the army to bring Santa Claus to Lima for one day when he will be at one of the kettles.

OIL MARKET

[illegible]s	$ 1.43
[illegible]ling	1.35
[illegible]ana	1.23
[illegible]ster	1.25
[illegible]nouth	.60
[illegible]ois	1.22
[Penn]sylvania Grade	2.35
[illegible]il	1.20
[Som]erset	1.15
[Som]erset (Light)	1.30
[illegible]ceton	1.22
[Wat]erloo	.70
[illegible]land	.75

MARSHALL FIELD REVIEW

Current wholesale distribution of goods was greater than last week but it did not reach last year's total for the same period.

Road sales were less than a week ago and did not attain the volume recorded during the corresponding week last year. There were fewer customers in [mark]et for the Pre-Inventory Sale than [19]22. Altho buying was general thruout the house during the sale, it was characterized by more or less conservatism.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK—Foreign exchanges [irre]gular. Quotations in cents: Great Britain demand 4.35 7-8; cables 4.36 1-8; 60 day bills on banks 4.33 5-8. France demand 5.33 [c]ables 5.34; Italy demand 4.33 cables 4.34. Belgium demand [illegible] 1- ; cables 4.61. Germany demand .000000000024; cables .000-000000024; Holland demand 38.00: cables 38.0[illegible]. Norway demand [illegible]; Sweden 26.27; Denmark [illegible]; Switzerland 17.45; Spain [illegible]; Greece 1.95; Poland .000030; Czecho Slovakia 2.92 1-2; Jugo Slavia 1.13 1-2; Austria .001[illegible]; Rumania .51 1-4; Argentina 31.75; [Braz]il 9.25; Montreal 97 27-32.

ACTUAL BANK STATEMENT

NEW YORK — The actual condition of clearing house banks and trust companies for the week shows excess in reserve of $25,546,930. This is an increase of $12,541,100.

NEW YORK STOCK TRANSACTIONS

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STOCKS—	Open	High	Low	1:30
American Can	104½	104⅞	103½	103½
Am. Car Fdy	166½	168½	166½	168
Am. Loco.	74⅝	74⅝	73⅝	73⅝
Am. Smelting	59⅞	59⅞	58⅞	58⅝
Am. Steel Fdy.	38½	38½	38¼	38¼
Am. Sugar Rfg.	56½	56½	56	56
Am. Tel. & T.	125⅝	....	....	125⅜
Am. Woolen	75⅝	75¾	75⅝	75⅝
Ana. Copper	38½	38½	38	38
Atchison	97⅝	97⅝	97¼	97¼
Atl. Gf. & WI.	15½	....	....	15½
Bald. Loco. A.	127⅛	127⅝	125⅞	126⅛
B. & O.	60⅝	60⅝	60⅜	60⅝
Bethlehem "B"	53⅝	53⅝	53	53⅛
Butte Copper	5¼	....	....	5⅛
Butte Superior	9	....	....	....
Cal. Petro.	23	23	22⅝	22⅝
Central Leather	11¼	11¼	11⅛	11⅛
Chandler	63⅝	63⅝	62⅝	63¼
Ches. & O.	73	72	71½	71⅞
C. M. & St. P	14⅛	14⅜	14⅛	14¼
Chicago N. W.	62½	62½	60	61¼
Chile Copper	27⅛	27⅜	27¼	27⅜
Chino Copper	16⅝	16¾	16⅝	16⅝
Col. Gas & E.	34	34¼	34	34¼
Corn Prod.	137⅞	137⅞	136⅝	136⅝
Cosden	32	32⅜	31⅞	32⅝
Cruc. Steel	68	68	66⅝	66⅝
Cub. Cane Sug.	13¼	13½	13¼	13¼
Dupont P.	131	132	130	130¼
Erie R. R.	21⅜	22¼	21⅝	21⅝
Fisk Rubber	7⅝	7⅞	7⅝	7⅝
Gen. Asphalt	36⅞	36⅞	35⅝	35⅜
Gen. Electric	191½	197	191½	194⅛
Gen. Motors	14⅝	15	14⅝	14⅞
Goodrich R.	22	22½	22	22
Ind. Alcohol	63⅜	63⅜	62¼	62⅝
Int. Paper	34⅝	34⅝	34¼	34¼
Int. Nickel	12	12⅝	12	12⅝
Kel. Spring.	32½	33½	32	33

STOCKS—	Open	High	Low	1:30
Ken. Copper	34⅝	34⅝	34⅜	34½
K. C.-Sou.	20	....	....	20
L. & N.	90⅝	....	....	90⅝
Lima Loco.	67½	67⅝	66½	66½
Mid. States Oil	5⅜	5⅝	5	5⅛
Mother Lode	9	....	....	9
Nev. Copper	12⅛	....	....	12⅛
N. Y. Central	105⅝	106⅝	105⅝	105⅝
Norf. & W.	104⅜	104⅜	104⅜	104⅜
No. Pacific	55⅝	56⅝	54½	54½
Pan-Am. Petro.	61⅛	61⅛	60⅛	61
Penna. R. R.	42⅝	42⅞	42⅝	42⅝
Pere Marq.	42	42	42⅞	42⅝
Pierce Oil	2⅛	2⅜	2⅛	2⅜
Pullman	123½	125⅛	123½	124⅝
Pure Oil	19⅝	19⅝	19½	19½
Reading	80⅝	80⅝	79⅝	79⅝
Rep. I. & S.	49⅜	49⅝	48⅝	48⅝
Roy. Dut. N. Y.	50	50	49⅞	50
Sears - Roebuck	85⅜	....	....	85⅜
Sinclair Oil	23½	23½	23¼	23½
So. Pacific	88⅝	89⅝	88½	88⅝
Southern Ry.	37⅞	38¼	37⅝	37⅞
Skelly Oil	22⅛	....	....	22⅛
Shell Union Oil	15½	15½	15⅛	15⅜
Stand. of Cal.	57⅛	57⅛	56⅝	56⅝
Stand. of N. J.	36	36	35⅝	35⅝
Stromberg	85⅝	86½	85⅝	86½
Studebaker	105⅝	106⅝	105⅝	105⅝
Texas Oil	41⅝	41⅝	41⅝	41⅝
Union Pacific	130⅝	130⅝	129⅝	130
Untd Ret. Strs.	49⅝	....	....	49⅝
U. S. Rubber	38⅛	38⅛	37⅞	37⅞
U. S. Steel	95	95⅝	94⅝	94⅝
Utah Copper	64	64	63⅝	63⅞
Van. Steel	30½	....	....	30½
West. Union	110	110⅝	110	110⅝
West. Electric	61	62	61	61
Wil - Over.	8⅛	9	8½	8⅞

CHICAGO GRAIN PRICES

Courtesy of Thomson & Mckinnon 407-412 Citizens Building

	OPEN	HIGH	LOW	CLOSE
WHEAT—Dec.	103⅜-103⅝	103⅞	103	103¼-103⅜
May	109½-109¼	109½	108¾	109 -109⅛
July	107⅝-107½	107⅝	107	107¼B
CORN—Dec.	74	74⅛	73¼	73⅜- 73¼
May	74¾- 74⅝	74¾	74⅜	74½- 74⅜
July	75¾	75¾	75⅜	75⅜B
OATS—Dec.	43¼- 43⅜	43⅜	43	43 B
May	46 - 46¼	46¼	45⅞	45⅞
July	44⅜	44⅜	43⅞	43⅞A
RYE—May	74⅝	74¾	74⅛	74⅜A
December	68	68¼	68	68 A

OTHER GRAIN FUTURE PRICES

	OPEN	CLOSE
WINNIPEG—		
Wheat—Dec.	93¼	93¼
May	98½	98½
MINNEAPOLIS—		
Wheat—Dec.	110⅛	108⅞

LIVESTOCK MARKETS

CINCINNATI — Hogs, receipts 3,-200; steady to 10c lower. Heavies 700; packers and butchers 7.60; medium 6.85; stags 4.00@4.75; heavy fat sows 5.00@5.75; light shippers 6.50; pigs 110 lbs. and less 4.50@5.60.

Cattle, receipts 275; steady. Steers, good to choice 7.50@9.50, fair to good 6.00@7.50; common to fair 4.00@6.00; heifers, good to choice 6.50@9.75; fair to good 5.00@6.50; common to fair 3.50@4.50; cows, good to choice 4.50@5.50; fair to good 3.50@4.50; cutters 2.75@3.25.

Calves, 50c lower. Good to choice 11.00@12.00; fair to good 9.00@11.00, common and large 4.00@8.00

Sheep, receipts 75, steady. Good to choice 4.00@5.50; fair to good 3.00@4.00; common 1.00@1.50; bucks 2.00@3.00.

Lambs, steady. Good to choice 12.50@12.75; fair to good 10.50@12.50; seconds 9.00@11.00; common 4.00@7.00.

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EAST BUFFALO — Cattle, receipts 175; slow and steady.

Calves, receipts 300; active, 50c lower, 4.00@13.00

Hogs, receipts 9,600; slow; pigs 25@50c lower, others 10@15c lower; heavy 7.35@7.40; mixed yorkers and light do 6.75@7.00; pigs 6.75; roughs 5.75@6.00; stags 3.50@4.50.

Sheep and Lambs, receipts 1600; active and steady; no change in prices.

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CLEVELAND — Cattle, receipts 400, market slow. Choice dry fed yearlings 9.50@10.00; fair to good yearlings 7.50@8.50, choice handy weight butcher steers 7.50@8.50; fair to good butcher steers 5.50@6.50, choice heavy dry fed steers 8.00@9.00; fair to good heavy and plain steers 6.50@7.50; common and light butcher steers 4.25@5.25; choice heifers 6.00@7.00, fair to good heifers 4.00@5.25; choice cows 4.50@5.25; fair to good cows 3.50@4.50; common cows, canners and cutters 1.00@2.25; choice handy weight bulls 5.25@6.00; choice heavy bulls 5.00@5.50, common and bologna bulls 2.75@3.75.

Calves, receipts 200; market 50c lower. Good to choice veal calves 11.00@12.00, fair to good 5.00@9.00.

Sheep and Lambs, receipts 1,000; market steady. Good to choice spring lambs 13.00@13.50; fair to good 11.00@12.00; good to choice sheep 6.00@7.00; good to choice ewes 5.00@6.00, common 2.00@3.00

Hogs, receipts 5,000; market steady. Yorkers 7.00, heavy and medium 7.15; pigs and lights 6.50; roughs 6.00; stags 4.50.

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INDIANAPOLIS — Hogs, receipts 11,000; steady; heavies 6.90@7.00, lights 6.75@6.85; top 7.00; pigs 5.00@6.25.

Cattle, receipts 250, dull, barely steady; steers nominal; beef cows 4.00@5.00; heifers 5.50@8.00.

Calves, receipts 350; steady; veals 7.00@13.00.

Shee, receipts 150; steady; sheep 4.00@6.00; lambs 8.00@12.50.

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PITTSBURGH — Hogs, receipts 6,-500; steady; heavies 7.10@7.15; heavy yorkers 7.20@7.35; light yorkers 7.00@7.50; pigs 6.50@7.00.

Sheep and Lambs, receipts 500; steady; sheep 7.75; lambs 13.40.

Calves, receipts 100, steady; top 13.50.

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CHICAGO—Hogs, receipts 14,000; mostly steady; spots weak to slightly lower; bulk good and choice 200 to 300 lb. averages 6.90@7.05; top 7.10; desirable 160 to 190 lb. averages mostly 6.65@6.85; packing sows largely 6.50@6.65; few desirable weighty slaughter pigs around 6.00; estimated holdover 5,000.

Cattle, receipts 1,000; unevenly higher; top yearlings 12.85; weighty matured steers 12.25; bulls 25 to 50c up, vealers strong to 50c higher; week's bulk prices follow: Beef steers 8.25@10.50; stockers and feeders 5.50@6.50, beef cows and heifers 4.50@6.75; canners and cutters 2.50@3.50; vealers 9.00@9.75.

Sheep, receipts 2,000; strong to 15c higher; top natives and fed western lambs 13.40; week's bulk prices follow: Fat lambs 12.50@13.25; yearling wethers 9.50@11.00; wethers 8.00@8.25; ewes 5.50@7.25; feeding lambs 11.50@12.50.

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TOLEDO — Hogs, receipts 1200 Market 10 higher. Heavies 7.15@7.25; mediums 7.10@7.15, yorkers 7.00@7.10; good pigs 6.50@6.55.

Calves. Market steady.

Sheep and Lambs. Market steadq.

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NEW YORK — Live poultry firm. Geese 19@25; ducks 14@26; fowls 22@23; turkeys 25@35; roosters 16; broilers 35@40.

Butter, stronger Receipts none. Creamery extra 54¼@55; special market 55½@56, state dairy tubs 40@54

Eggs, firm. Receipts none. Nearby white fancy 48@69; nearby mixed fancy 67@72.

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CINCINNATI — Poultry, roasting 20; others unchanged.

Butter and eggs unchanged.

PRODUCE REVIEW

(By Swift & Co.)

Butter receipts at country markets have been a little heavier than for the same time last week, but are not considered burdensome The market is practically unchanged.

Withdrawals of storage eggs were a little heavier during November than a year ago. Stocks are still considered heavy. Fresh eggs met a little better demand, with prices ruling higher for good stock.

The market on live poultry was generally easier, and on dressed poultry decidedly weaker. It is probable that a lower level of poultry prices has been reached than has prevailed for some time past.

STANDARD OIL STOCKS

Courtesy of Thomson & McKinnon Members New York Stock Exchange All quotations dollar per share

STOCKS—	Bid	Asd
CLOSE		
Born Scrymser	145	155
Buckeye Pipe Line	72	73
Chesebrough Mfg.	230	240
Continental Oil	41	42
Crescent Pipe Line	115	117
Cumberland Pipe	105	108
Eureka Pipe Line	98	102
Galena Signal Com.	67	69
Galena Signal Pfd.	104	105
Galena New Pfd.	105	109
Illinois Pipe Line	135	140
Indiana Pipe Line	84	86
National Transit	22¼	22¾
New York Transit	73	75
Northern Pipe Line	96	98
Ohio Oil	67	68
International Petro.	16⅝	16⅞
Penn. Mex. Fuel	23	25
Prairie Oil & Gas	222½	223½
Prairie Pipe Line	98	98½
Solar Refining	170	175
Southern Pipe	91½	92½
South Penn. Oil	124	127
S. W. Penn. Pipe Line	75	78
Standard Oil of Indiana	59⅝	59⅝
Standard Oil of Kansas	40½	40½
Standard Oil of Kentucky	99	100
Standard Oil of New York	41⅝	42
Standard Oil of Ohio	278	282
Swan & Finch	35	42
Vacuum Oil	52¾	53
Washington Oil	22	24
Standard Oil of Neb.	215	225
Imperial Oil Ltd.	107	108

INDEPENDENT OILS

Mutual	11	11¼

PRODUCE MARKET

LIMA LIVE STOCK

(Lima Packing Co. Quotations)

HOGS—	
Heavy	.06¼
Medium	.06½
Roughs	.04½@.05
Stags	.03@.03½
CATTLE—	
Good Steers, 1,000 to 1,100	.07@.07½
Bulls	.03½@.04½
Good Cows	.04@.04½
Good Heifers—800 to 900	.06@.06½
Veal Calves	.09@.10

LIMA HAY MARKET

(Hurley Buckholtz Co. Quotations)

No. 1 Timothy New Hay	17.00
Light Mixed	16.00
No. 1 Heavy Clover	16.00
No. 1 Heavy Clover Mixed	15.00

LIMA GRAIN PRICES

(Model Mills and Hyman & Ackerman Quotations)

New Corn, cwt	$ .9[illegible]
Old Corn per bu.	.80
No. 1 Winter Wheat	1.03
No. 2 Winter Wheat	1.01
No. 1 Oats, per bu.	.40
Barley, per bu.	.60
Rye, per bu.	.55

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CLEVELAND — Butter, extra in tub lots 57@59 a lb; extra firsts 56@58; firsts 55@57; packing stocks 32@35; standard 55@57, prints one cent a pound extra.

Eggs, fresh gathered Northern extras 58 a dozen, extra firsts 56; Ohio firsts 52; Western firsts 51; refrigerators extra 32 a dozen; firsts 29c.

Oleomargarine, prices to retailers Nut oleo 21@23 a lb., high grade, made of animal oil 26@26½; lower grades 18@19.

Cheese, old York state 28@29 a lb; brick 25½@29, fancy Swiss 41@43; limburger 28@30.

Poultry, live fat fowls 24@25 a lb.; springers 25; leghorn fowls 15; old roosters 14@15; turkeys 30@32; geese 23@24; heavy white ducks 23@24; light colored ducks 20@22; medium fowls 22@23; light 17@19.

Rabbits, 3.75@4.00 a dozen; Jacks 5.00@6.00 a dozen.

Sweet potatoes, Virginia 4.25 a barrel, Delaware 2.25@2.40 a hamper, Tennessee Nancy Halls 2.10 a hamper; New Jersey 2.25 a hamper, Porto Rico 2.15.

Potatoes, Michigan round whites 1.50@1.75 a 150 lb. sack; Wisconsin whites 1.70 a 150 lb. sack; Ohio 1.75@2.00 a 150 lb. sack; New York 2.25 per 150 lb. sack.

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CHICAGO — Butter, lower; creamery extras 53; standards 49½; extra firsts 49½@52; firsts 45½@47½; seconds 42½@43½.

Eggs, lower; receipts 4,368 cases; firsts 46@48; ordinary firsts 37@40.

OHIO INCORPORATIONS

Arthur J. Lehr Company, Toledo, $10,000; M. C. Seeley, Arthur J. Lehr.

A. S. Boyle Company, Evanston, Cincinnati, $100,000. Alfred S. Boyle, H. R. Hitchcock.

Breese and Son Company Lima, $50,-000; Guy Breese, J. O. Breese.

Bascom Quarries Company, Toledo, $50,000; W. G. Scheub, E. V. Anspach.

Material Bito Company, Toledo, $10,-000; W. G. Scheub, Harold Degner.

United Realty and Development Company, Dayton, $25,000; Milton Stern, Morris L. Simons.

F. J. Hinkel Lumber Company, Canton, $500; P. Roland, Jos. M. Blake.

Society Cap Company Cleveland, $25,000; A. E. Barton, George W. Barton.

Kittinger Witt Company, Cleveland, $10,000; Dean B. Meck, Edward R. Kittinger.

Marked Motor Company, Lakewood $50,000; Mark H. Zettlemeyer, Elmer E Adams.

Selby Sales and Service Company, Lakewood, $500, [illegible] Ward, May M. Ward.

Lester W. Fisk Company, Cincinnati, $50,000; James G. Fisk, Lester W. Fisk.

ALCOHOL AND GASOLINE

CINCINNATI — Denatured alcohol in drums 48; gasoline tank wagon 16; 70 per cent 26.

WHEAT PRICES ON DOWNGRADE

Decline is Brought About By Absence of Demand

MARKET IS UNSETTLED

Losses Are Also Registered in Corn and Oats

CHICAGO.—(Associated Press). Wheat prices had a downward trend Saturday in the absence of any demand except for week-end evening up of trades. The close was unsettled 1-4, 3-8 to 5-8c net lower, December $1.03 3-8 to 1.03 1-2 and May $1.09 to 1.09 1-8. Corn finished 1-4 to 3-4c down, oats 1-4, 1-2 to 5-8 off and provisions at unchanged figures to 10c decline.

With no export demand of consequence in sight, clearances light except for flour and with the latter including a large amount of Canadian wheat ground in bond, the wheat bulls found little encouragement. It was pointed out that should the president's recommendation be adopted in regard to having the war finance corporation evolve some plan that would facilitate exports of food grains, there would be more help from the buyer, but the majority of traders appeared to be far from optimistic in this respect. On the other hand, bears were seemingly disposed to emphasize the omission of any mention by President Coolidge that he would favor raising the wheat tariff.

GERMAN RELIEF

Washington reports that the senate would probably pass the German relief bill without opposition attracted some notice from wheat traders but the news failed to influence prices pending knowledge of what the house might do with the bill. Meanwhile, eastern interests were free sellers whenever the market showed any signs of an upturn in price. The outlook was that there would be no great change of the United States visible supply total on Monday, altho domestic primary receipts this week showed a decided falling off, as compared with last week and a year ago.

Corn and oats declined with wheat.

Predictions were current that arrivals of corn here next week would be larger, notably from western sections.

Packers selling weakened the provision market after an advance based on reports of good cash demand.

SALVATION ARMY JOINS COUNTY CHURCH COUNCIL

The Salvation Army is the latest body to become affiliated with the Allen-co Council of Churches. This brings the total of co-operating denominations to 12. Denominations previously affiliated are Methodist, United Brethren, Presbyterian, Lutheran, Reformed, Congregational, A. M. E., Baptist, Disciple, Colored Baptist and Christian.

The executive committee was completed last week by adding the following names to those of the officers; Dr. Motter, Miss Ruth Seymour, Mrs. R. T. Gregg, Mrs. J. R. Meily and Mrs. Kent Hughes.

An intensive program of activities which will carry the work of the council into all parts of the county is being planned, including meetings for seven town outside of Lima. These meetings will consist of two sessions, the first of which will be given to a conference and discussion of local church problems, while the second will be addressed by a leader of church affairs at large. Y. M. C. A. and Y. W. C. A. are co-operating in the work.

STAMPS EXCHANGED

War Savings stamps due Jan. 1, 1924 can now be exchanged at par value for the new issue of four and one half percent treasury savings certificates, Postmaster A. E. Gale has announced.

SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the Court of Appeals in Case No 373, King Bellinger, et al vs Charles C. Schirmer, et al. and to me directed, I will offer for sale, at public auction, at the East door of the Court House in Lima, between the hours of 10.00 and 11:00 o'clock A. M. Saturday, January 5 1924, the following described premises, situated in the County of Allen and State of Ohio: All that part of the west half of the northwest quarter of Section Twenty-nine (29), Township Three (3), South, Range Seven (7), East, that lies south of the Lima and Findlay road, except that part along the west side occupied by the right-of-way of the Detroit, Toledo and Ironton Railway Company, also, all that part of the west half of the southwest quarter of said Section Twenty-nine (29) that lies north of the Ottawa River, except that part along the west side occupied by the right-of-way of the Detroit, Toledo and Ironton Railway Company, and except the following described tract: Commencing on the east line of said west half at a point seven hundred and thirty-two and seventy-five hundredths (732.75) feet south of the northeast corner of said west half, and running thence west, parallel with the north line of said west half, twelve hundred and twelve (1212) feet, more or less, to the east line of said railroad right-of-way, thence south, on the east line of said right-of-way, seven hundred and eighty-two and twenty-five hundredths (782.25) feet, more or less, to the center of said Ottawa River, thence eastwardly, following the center line of said river, to the east line of said west half; thence north, on said east line, eight hundred and thirty-seven and twenty-five hundredths (837.25) feet, more or less, to the place of beginning, and except the following described tract: Commencing on the east line of said railroad right-of-way at a point seven hundred and thirty-two and seventy-five hundredths (732.75) feet south of the north line of said west half, and running thence east two hundred and ninety-five and twelve hundredths (295.12) feet; thence north two hundred and ninety-five and twelve hundredths (295.12) feet; thence west two hundred and ninety-five and twelve hundredths (295.12) feet to the east line of said right-of-way; thence south two hundred and ninety-five and twelve hundredths (295.12) feet to the place of beginning, containing two (2) acres more or less, and leaving in the tract so to be sold thirty-eight (38) acres, more or less, subject to a driveway, as now located, for ingress and egress over said lands, from said Findlay Road to the lands lying next south.

Said lands are located on the Findlay Road, just east of Lima, between the Boose Road and the Neubrecht Road.

Said lands are appraised at $11,400.00. Terms of sale cash.

H. B. CROSSON,
Sheriff Allen County

D. C. Henderson, Attorney for Plaintiff.

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FIRST REHEARSAL FOR "THE MESSIAH" SUNDAY

First rehearsal in preparation for presentation of "The Messiah" by the Kiwanis Harmonic club at Memorial hall Sunday Dec. 23, at 3 p. m. will be held at the Masonic temple Sunday at 2.30 p. m. The harmonic club, will be augmented by a large number of local artists. Others are cordially invited to attend the rehearsal Sunday.

Dan Jouhs, director of the program, said Saturday it will be be the first time in several years that "The Messiah" has been presented in full.

The Kiwanis Harmonic club will be assisted by the symphony orchestra which is directed by George Methcany.

Use News Want Ads

SUGAR MARKET

NEW YORK — Raw sugar unchanged at 5 1-2c for Cubas cost freight, equal to 7.28 for centrifugal. Raw sugar futures unchanged to 2 points net higher. January closed 5.26; March 4.65; May 4.73; July 4.81. Refined sugar unchanged at 9.05 to 9.15 for fine granulated.

Refined futures nominal.

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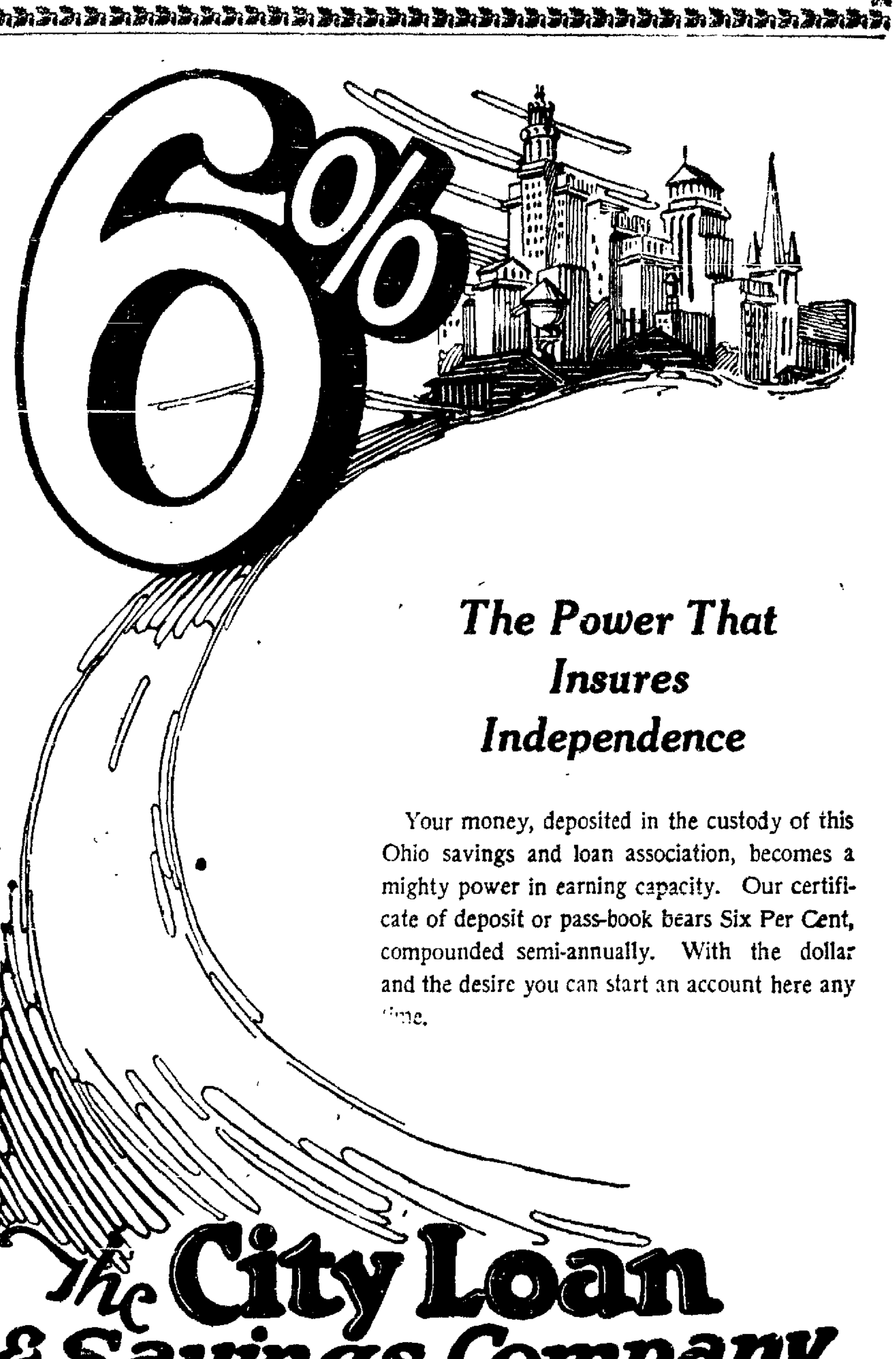
Class E	.32 to	8.00	Class E	219.56

The First National Bank



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SOUTH GETS BACK TO "NORMALCY"

Study Drive Well Under Way for Semester "Exams"

Activities at South have again returned to normalcy after the unusual amount of confused pep and spirit around Thanksgiving. Students are "putting their noses to the grindstone" on the final lap to the mid-year exams. Second estimates grades will come out next Monday. Students will have two more weeks of good hard school work, then eleven days of Christmas vacation, and then three more weeks of study for the exams.

Mr. Stuart of the Lima Telephone and Telegraph Co will speak to members of the Science club on "The Principle of the Telephone and the Lima system." He spoke at one of the meetings last year and the club is very glad to have him back again.

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The Sophomore Literary society will present the one act playlet, "A Cup of Tea," next Monday. They are also planning their Christmas program and several of the members who are "amateur playwriters" are submitting their new plays for the approval of society.

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Members of the Freshmen Girls' Science club gradually are learning how to become full-fledged housekeepers. Next week they will hold an open discussion on several topics concerning "Household Science," and "Removing Stains."

Nature Study club members are busily at work constructing bird shelters. They already have a fine collection of bird's nests and cocoons and a great variety of different insects.

The Junior Ring and Pin committee met last Friday to select the rings and pins for the class of '25. Olive Hawkins, Helen Kaliher and Leonard Lombard comprise the committee. Theodore Kafitz is president of the Juniors.

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The Art club will continue on its work on the Annual next week. South has promises of some very fine cartooning in the Annual this year, thru the efforts of the Art club.

The junior English classes will hold their final preliminary debate to the big semester debate next Monday. Debaters will be chosen Tuesday for the semester debate, which will be held a few days before the Xmas vacation. The ever important question is at issue. Resolved: That the U. S. should enter the League of Nations.

"In the Garden of the Shah," imagine it! But you can be, on Jan 17, when the Choral clubs of South present their operatta at Central auditorium. Tryouts were held last week, but results have not been announced. Plenty of "love affairs," "engineering feats," "humor" and "dealings with the Egyptian Shah" are the spice of the story. Miss Lewis and Miss L. Smith will aid in presenting "In the Garden of the Shah."

Last week was "Clean Building Week" at South. Students cooperated excellently in keeping the building clean. Fewer "gum wrappers" and "wads" of gum were found on the floors and all students have decided that "air" of healthfulness and cleanliness in the school room, is far better than one filled with grim and dust.

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The Masquers debated the Clean Week problem. Resolved: That the students rather than the janitors should keep the building clean: Ethel Spees and Mildred Nesbit uphold the affirmative while Harlow Shaw, Edwin Tullis defend the negative. A Xmas play entitled "Christmas" will be presented at the following meeting. Martha Ault, Cecile Jones, William Wauben, John Wilson, Violet First and Doris Decker are included in the cast. The play is the work of an amateur playwriter.

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The first issue of "Quid Nunc," the Vergil Classes' latin paper appeared on the scene last Friday. It is published monthly and is the source of much comment and discussion. Altho difficult to read for those not endowed with foreign language abilities, it is very interesting to the Latin students. Ferdinand Eisass is Editor in Chief; Iola Rothlisberger and Thelma Irwin, Assistant Editors; Marie Bechdolt, Business manager; Marguerite Johns, Girls' Athletic Editor; Louis Smith, Boys' Athletic Editor; Lillian Gruenbaum, Society Editor, and Charles Simmons, Circulation Editor.

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Fight Tuberculosis! That's what we all should be doing by putting the sale of Xmas Seals "over the top." School students are participating in fine shape in the attack of the white plague. Xmas seals are selling like the proverbial "hot cake" at all the schools.

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South's "New Gym," at last a realization (almost). The contractors have centered their efforts on the completion of the gym and they guarantee a finished product by Jan. 1. So undoubtedly South's first home game will be played in the new gym. It will have a seating capacity of 1500 and will be one of the most modern efficient gymnasiums in the state.

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Members of the Girls' Welfare League sold Xmas seals for the Red Cross at the Post office last Saturday. At the next meeting Wednesday a Christmas program will be given of which Louise Smith will be in charge. Plans will also be made and a committee appointed for the usual help given to the poor at this season.

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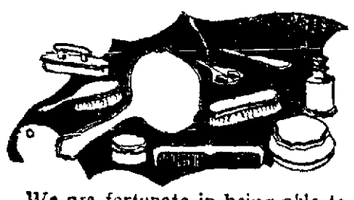

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Amazing Goings-On in Millionaire Cromwell's Love Mansion

Strange Secrets of a Three-Cornered Intrigue in Which the Stake Was an Old Man's Fortune, Told by the Bride Who Was Betrayed and Trapped

Mrs. Cromwell, Formerly Mrs. Mulford.

John H. ("Oliver") Cromwell, Millionaire Lawyer and Yachtsman, and the Two Women He Married—On the Left, Genevieve (Jane) Mulford, the "$20,000 Housekeeper," and on the Right, Rose Barker, Whom He Wed When He Was 60 and She 18; a Trusting Threesome, Very Chummy—Then.

Mrs. Cromwell and Mrs. Mulford, with a Woman Friend at the Cromwell Love Mansion.

Cromwell at the Wheel of His Yacht.

FOLLOWING the announcement of the marriage of Millionaire John H. Cromwell to his "$20,000 housekeeper," Mrs. Genevieve Mulford, comes the amazing story from his former wife, to whom he gave $100,000, of the lives these three led in a love-mansion.

For the first time Rose Barker Cromwell, this former wife, reveals what went on in the gilded home of this sixty-eight-year-old lawyer, yachtsman, bon vivant and direct descendant of Oliver Cromwell; a home to which she was taken a bride of eighteen years, and to which there came this "other woman" almost before the honeymoon was over.

The locale of the story is the ultra-fashionable suburb of Larchmont, just thirty minutes from Broadway, where Cromwell was one of the leaders of society and a member and officer of the far-famed Larchmont Yacht Club. How she was edged out of the three-cornered love affair and out of the love-mansion at the same time, later to find solace in matrimony with Harry Cohn, a motion picture producer, forms one of the most remarkable stories of New York social life.

"Love and friendship have always been to me the greatest things in the world," the discarded wife of the millionaire yachtsman explained. "You think it strange that I, a good-looking girl of eighteen, should have loved a bronzed, weather-beaten and admittedly not handsome man. But it wasn't. For a year before our marriage he had been very good to me and very good to Jane, too. Jane, you know, is the pet name by which Genevieve Mulford was known. We took Jane with us everywhere, and now, when I look back, it seems that even while he was marrying me Oliver—he loved to be called Oliver — was already falling for her.

"Jane is ten years older than I am, and when Oliver and I were married she was penniless and had no place to go. She had been very dear to me. I think it was I who first suggested that she live with us—a suggestion to which Oliver readily assented—and she became our $20,000 housekeeper.

"You have heard, of course, of how newly married couples are warned against 'the boarder.' Someone should have warned me.

"After we were married Oliver wanted me to 'settle down.'

"'Don't you do it,' Jane would say to me. 'Have a good time while you're young.'

"And I did. Don't think that I am trying to shirk all the responsibility. Jane and I invited gentleman friends to the Larchmont home while Oliver was away on the yacht. We leagued together in many an innocent intrigue. Jane was the most wonderful person I ever knew to suggest such things. Clandestine correspondence, innocent in itself, was carried on through her. It was all very foolish, of course—probably dangerous—but not really wrong.

"Often when we went out with young men Jane would take a camera along, and there would be snap-shots—you know, the kind that can be so innocent and yet so damning.

"Meantime Oliver was again insisting that I spend more time with him on his yacht and less time with younger friends. But yachting made me seasick and I begged to stay at home, and all the time Jane would tell him he was right—that I should settle down. Then she would wink at me and five minutes later would go to the telephone and make arrangements for a clandestine meeting for the two of us with a couple of friends.

"I was far from happy. In 1919 conditions became so intolerable that when Jane proposed that we take a trip to California, Oliver finally but reluctantly consented.

"While in California I renewed my friendship with Harry Cohn, whom I had known as a girl, long before I met Oliver. We had good times together, with Jane always along, and when we came home it was arranged that when Harry wrote to me his letters should be addressed to Jane. Of course, she opened them.

"Two more years dragged on—two years of May trying to be happy with December, in a gaudy mansion from which love was slowly but surely going. I wanted Oliver to take me abroad. But he wouldn't.

"'Why don't you go to California again?' Jane suggested. Why not, indeed. Oliver consented. I supposed naturally that Jane would go, too—she had gone with me everywhere. But at the last moment she announced that she would stay at home and 'take care of the old man.' It seemed a fine, unselfish thing for her to do—giving up an attractive Winter in California to stay in Larchmont and keep the poor chap from becoming too down cast and lonely. Good old Jane, I thought.

"Before I left Jane promised to keep me fully advised about Oliver. She wrote me that he was 'crosser than a bear and quite impossible to get on with.' I felt quite guilty at this self-sacrifice and wrote that I would come back. But Jane hurried to reassure me. She would stick it out and I might as well have a good time.

"In a few weeks Jane wrote that Oliver had sold the Larchmont house and had taken one at Allenhurst; that she would remain until he got settled in his new home, but would then leave. He had become quite impossible, she wrote, and life in his new home was becoming more and more a trial. I was greatly alarmed and wired that I would come home immediately. But Jane urged me to remain in California. I did—and she remained in Allenhurst.

"Then one day I received a letter from Jane, in which she said that Oliver had decided to institute divorce proceedings! I was thunderstruck. In my panic I telephoned Jane from Los Angeles. And here is what came back to me over 3,500 miles of wire:

"'You let me handle this for you, Rose, dear; you agree to accept service of the papers out there and Oliver will do the gentlemanly and honorable thing for you. I'll see to that.'

"I fainted. The next day I started home. The first thing I did on arriving in New York was to call up the house at Allenhurst. Jane answered.

"'What do you want?'

"'I want to talk to Oliver.'

"'You can't talk to Oliver.'

"'Why, Jane? I don't understand. Why can't I?'

"'Because Oliver doesn't want to talk to you. Call at his office on Monday.' Then the receiver was jammed down.

"When I walked into my husband's office on Monday a clerk threw the papers in my hands. Oliver told me he was through. He wanted a divorce and was going to have it. He might want to marry again or he might want to adopt Jane.

"It was all clear then.

"When the case came up for trial I was confronted with every letter I had written, every one that had been written to me, with all the supposedly innocent snap-shots, now so damning, and with the dates and details of every clandestine meeting.

"Although I was enveloped in a perfect cloud of documentary and circumstantial evidence, the jury disagreed, nine men voting for me."

Later Cromwell was granted an interlocutory decree by another court. Six months afterward he married Genevieve Mulford and Mrs. Cromwell married Cohn.

There are new occupants of the love-mansion at Larchmont.

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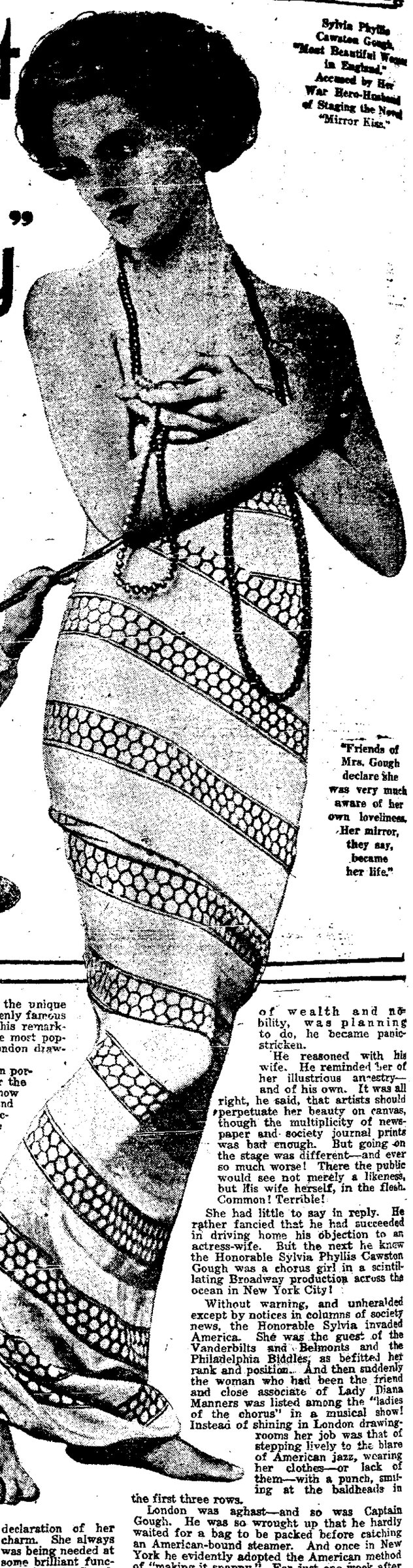
How the Keyhole Caught the Mirror Kiss of the "Peacock Beauty"

And What Happened When Her Husband's Hired Spies Told a London Divorce Jury How the Looking-Glass Reflected a Unique Love Scene.

"Through the keyhole the detectives saw (they testified) the reflections of Mrs. Gough and Neidecker, clasped in each other's arms, with the lady's eyes cast sidelong at her own image."



Sylvia Phyllis Cawston Gough, "Most Beautiful Woman in England," Accused by Her War Hero-Husband of Staging the Novel "Mirror Kiss."

Augustus John, the Painter, Whose Portrait of Mrs. Gough Made Her a "Fad" in Bohemian London.

"Friends of Mrs. Gough declare she was very much aware of her own loveliness. Her mirror, they say, became her life."

Baron Maurice de Rothschild, Whose Name Was Cited and Then Withdrawn as Corespondent in the Gough Divorce Case.

Mrs. Gough Before Her Mirror, a Pose Characteristic of the "Peacock Beauty."

HER mirror was the fortune, both fair and foul, of Sylvia Phyllis Cawston Gough, London's famous "Peacock Beauty." Her mirror, telling her she was lovely, led her to the high peaks of pleasure and prosperity. Her mirror, luring her to look as she trembled in the arms of her lover, discovered her stolen kiss to spies and plunged her from the heights into the sordid unhappiness of an international divorce scandal.

The "mirror kiss" climax to pretty Sylvia Gough's primrose career was revealed when her husband, Captain Wilfrid Hugh Julian Gough, scion of an old English family and officer in His Majesty's Welsh Guards, sued her for a separation and named as principal co-respondent Bertrand Neidecker, American banker and sportsman.

Detectives testified they trailed Mrs. Gough and Neidecker to a London hotel and waited in a corridor outside their room, wondering what to do next. They were afraid to hammer on the door, and, when they peeked through the keyhole, they could see no one—only the usual hotel furniture, including a long, beveled mirror on a dressing-table. But they wanted evidence badly.

Suddenly, as one of the sleuths stooped for another squint, he beckoned to his companions. Two other detectives took a look. And each of them saw, so they testified, the reflections—in the mirror!—of Mrs. Gough and Neidecker, clasped in each other's arms, with the lady's eyes cast sidelong at her own image!

A buzz and ripple of laughter passed over the London courtroom as the detectives finished their testimony, for the "mirror kiss" seemed Fate's own sardonic way of striking at Mrs. Gough. Narcissus, admiring his reflection in the Grecian pool, fell in and was drowned. The "Peacock Beauty," because she could not resist a kiss before the mirror so flattering to her for so long, was "caught" by a keyhole "spotter" and her happiness was wrecked!

Even the best friends of Mrs. Gough declare she always was very much aware of her loveliness. Contour, coloring, exquisite expressions that actually expressed nothing, but were mere arrangements of marvellously attractive features, held her and hypnotized her, for they were her own.

Her friends admit Sylvia became all but obsessed with mirrors. She seldom passed one on the staircase but she posed admiringly before it. Her figure never moved before one in drawing-room or restaurant that she did not cast at least a glance into its shimmering surface.

Her beauty became her life, before which all else seemed of small importance. She could not for a moment forget it. Nor was she allowed to forget it, since the world, for once, agreed with her self-estimate, and paid court to her charm.

Lord Cawston is the holder of one of the oldest titles in England and the possessor of one of the greatest fortunes. Accordingly the Honorable Sylvia Phyllis received an early training that fitted her for luxury and admiration.

Six years ago, as a debutante, society received her with curious enthusiasm. She seemed oddly old-fashioned in a world of shifting standards. And withal she was so sweetly simple, so completely without self-consciousness, that what compliments she received brought her almost painful embarrassment.

"The little girl who blushes" was a bit of description once used of her who was to become known as the "Peacock Beauty." She was presented to kings and queens, and royalty approved her.

Of course, many suitors laid siege to her heart. But of them all she had eyes only for one—the handsome Captain Gough. He was the son of General Hugh Sutlej-Gough of Gaer Rhun, Tally Cain, North Wales. And society heard with eagerness of their courtship and engagement, and declared that naught but happiness sang through the chimes of their wedding bells.

The young captain was weary of the upset the war had brought and the succeeding excitement. He wished to settle down to serene domesticity. So they established a home in a quiet corner of London and began their life together, each glowingly in love with the other. Two children brought more happiness into their lives.

Then came E. C. Hoppe, the famous photographer and beauty expert.

Chancing upon a photograph of Mrs. Gough, Hoppe decided that her beauty was worth being recorded even by his skill.

He enlisted the services of influential friends, and she was coaxed to his studio. Her first sitting confirmed his hope that a perfect model had been found. The result was a thousand striking poses of a woman who seldom had faced a camera.

Other photographers begged for the opportunity of perpetuating her beauty through their art. And since Hoppe had proclaimed Sylvia Phyllis Cawston Gough the most beautiful woman in all England, her face began to smile at the world from every wall and corner.

Exclusive shops in London and Paris displayed her picture in their windows; in royal mansions and humble cottages her faultless form posed for the joy of the occupants; art galleries vied with each other for depictions of the "Peacock Beauty." And hardly a public print appeared on newsstand or street without a likeness of the "most photographed woman in England."

Then the artists, intrigued by the work of the photographers, took her up. Augustus John, whose word on beauty is considered law in Great Britain, and who holds himself inaccessible to all but the rare few, underwent the unique experience of begging the suddenly famous beauty for a sitting. It was his remarkable portrait that made her the most popular of all social figures in London drawing-rooms.

And it was the Augustus John portrait, too, which Fate used for the undoing of the woman who now had discovered her mirror and who now looked for the reflection of her face wherever she could find it.

The portrait brought her fame and adulation—but it destroyed the domesticity she had held so dear. She seldom was home after Augustus John added his indorsement to Hoppe's declaration of her charm. She always was being needed at some brilliant function. Captain Gough grew bewildered, then morose.

In desperation on one occasion he suggested that they spend a quiet evening alone. She laughed. After that she began to go about with escorts. Stories drifted to his ears of gay parties at which she was the gayest of the gay.

There were described happenings which could not be regarded other than askance, even in circles so secure of wealth and position as to be somewhat above convention.

Then something happened. Sylvia Phyllis told her husband that she wished to become an actress!

It is to be presumed that a soldier and seasoned man of the world like Captain Gough might be impervious to shocks of any and all descriptions.

But when he heard what the daughter of Lord Cawston, the daughter-in-law of General Sir Hugh Sutlej-Gough, and the wife of Captain Wilfrid Hugh Julian Gough, scion of wealth and nobility, was planning to do, he became panic-stricken.

He reasoned with his wife. He reminded her of her illustrious ancestry—and of his own. It was all right, he said, that artists should perpetuate her beauty on canvas, though the multiplicity of newspaper and society journal prints was bad enough. But going on the stage was different—and ever so much worse! There the public would see not merely a likeness, but his wife herself, in the flesh. Common! Terrible!

She had little to say in reply. He rather fancied that he had succeeded in driving home his objection to an actress-wife. But the next he knew the Honorable Sylvia Phyllis Cawston Gough was a chorus girl in a scintillating Broadway production across the ocean in New York City!

Without warning, and unheralded except by notices in columns of society news, the Honorable Sylvia invaded America. She was the guest of the Vanderbilts and Belmonts and the Philadelphia Biddles, as befitted her rank and position. And then suddenly the woman who had been the friend and close associate of Lady Diana Manners was listed among the "ladies of the chorus" in a musical show! Instead of shining in London drawing-rooms her job was that of stepping lively to the blare of American jazz, wearing her clothes—or lack of them—with a punch, smiling at the baldheads in the first three rows.

London was aghast—and so was Captain Gough. He was so wrought up that he hardly waited for a bag to be packed before catching an American-bound steamer. And once in New York he evidently adopted the American method of "making it snappy." For just one week after she had tripped the boards on Broadway Mrs. Gough was homeward bound—and making no statements.

Once in London she found her old haunts dull. Rumors began to float about. The simple girl with charm and loveliness had taken on the mask of beauty—a hard mask sometimes.

The final crash came when Captain Gough filed suit for divorce. He named three co-respondents—Augustus John, Baron Maurice de Rothschild, member of the immensely wealthy European banking family, and Bertrand Neidecker. Before the suit came to trial Captain Gough withdrew the names of Rothschild and John and concentrated his attack on Neidecker.

Fashionable London crowded the courtroom to hear the spicy details of beautiful Mrs. Gough's career. They heard only a few—but these were sufficient to make Mrs. Gough again the talk of the town. All London buzzed with the story the detectives told on the stand.

The divorce was granted, for Mrs. Gough did not appear to defend herself against her husband's charges of infidelity. And the principal evidence against her was the testimony of the detectives, describing how her mirror, once the "Peacock Beauty's" greatest joy, betrayed her with a kiss "caught" through a keyhole!

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What Really DID Happen Between Jeanne and Young Warren?

Dilemma of the Star Whose "Brilliant Betrothal" Was Jarred by an Icy "Nothing to It" from Her Near-Fiance's Rich Father

Miss Geraldine Graham, Whose Engagement to Young Whitney Warren Was Broken.

Photo, Pach Bros.

Jeanne Eagels, Dramatic Star, Whose Betrothal to Warren Was Denied, Affirmed, and Denied.

Photo. Charlotte Fairchild.

"Junior" Warren in His French Uniform and Displaying His World-War Medals.

Photo. Pach Bros.

Lovely and Most Recent Camera Study of Miss Eagels, Wearing One of Her Priceless Ropes of Pearls.

DID Jeanne Eagels' mamma "take too much for granted"?

Did Whitney Warren's papa throw a monkey wrench into a romance?

Did the two young folks plan to "put it over" secretly on both families?

NEW YORK society and stage folk have found a new puzzle which fascinated them for weeks. You ght call it a picture puzzle, since the o young people in the case are so torial—and so baffling.

It concerns Miss Jeanne Eagels, the otional blonde star of "Rain," and hitney Warren, Jr., war hero and son the eminent social leader and hitect. Just what, queries society and stage, with a pout that was partly a ile, is it all about? There are many culations by the unknowing, but ious. And the replies are many—and st contradictory!

As for those who really know, or are posed to know, go back to the first of the little drama that linked the o first-page names, one famous before footlights, the other noted in social onicles.

Consider her, an actress who had "arred" in a smashing hit a year ago. Conder him, a clubman, with blue blood to t and right of him, a winner of the ix de Guerre in the World War, but h an interest in the stage that led a connection in Sam H. Harris' offices. Mr. Harris, by the way, is the producer o put "Rain" across. But let that le of the situation pass for the moment, and consider another—the society one. Picture to yourself the stately Warren mansion on Park avenue in the sedate calm of breakfast time. Before the chilled grapefruit and the hissing coffee urn sit the family—minus young Whitney. Mr. Warren, Sr., picks up his favorite newspaper, perhaps to scan the financial or society news, when the following headline leaps at him from the coldly unemotional type:

JEANNE EAGELS TO WED IN "400"

He reads the column account which follows. It tells how Miss Eagels and his son met through professional interests; how business matters melted into personal attachment; how their friendship grew into the intense warmth of devotion, and how they decided to let the world in on their secret, impending marriage.

Who sponsored all this very detailed information? Mr. Warren wondered. He read the article over again and discovered it was Mrs. Julia Eagels, Jeanne's mother. She, it appeared, had let the cat out of the bag to a few friends. And what said Mrs. Eagels later when reporters besieged her door for further information? She blandly admitted that her lovely daughter and the handsome, slim scion of the Warrens intended becoming man and wife —"probably in the Spring."

But when the newspapermen went scurrying away to Mr. Warren's office for added verification, the "Yes" they were expecting turned into "No!" Mr. Warren, having finished his coffee and newspaper, was ready with a crisp denial. He didn't even take refuge behind the conventional remark that the announcement was "premature," or that he had "nothing to say." Instead he declared, as blandly as Mrs. Eagels, and just as formally, that Whitney Jr. and Jeanne were NOT engaged.

Here was a picture puzzle, indeed! The reporters hurried off on a fresh scent, this time to Miss Eagels herself. Blonde and benign, she added a further tangle to the presumable mystery. "Yes, Whitney and I are engaged," she admitted with a suave smile. "Oh, it's quite authentic. What's that you say? Mr. Warren, Sr., denies it? Ah, well, you know society people have their own way of doing things. Perhaps on the stage we're a little more blunt. Who am I to contradict a genius like Mr. Warren? Nevertheless——"

Meanwhile, other reporters had located the theoretical fiance in Philadelphia. "I know nothing at all about it," young Warren was quoted by interviewers as saying. "The first intimation I had that such a report was being spread was when a newspaperman called at my office." And there, for the time being, was allowed to rest the mystery of the engagement that had been wildly supposed to be (1) a real engagement, (2) a hint of a wedding already solemnized and (3) no engagement at all.

But society and stage people, having good memories as well as well-bred curiosity, began to recount to themselves a few of the past high lights in the brilliant careers of the couple.

As a prominent actress Jeanne couldn't help gaining much admiration, professional and personal. To and from the theatre, the gossips whispered, she had often sped in the motor car of Thomas L. Chadbourne, millionaire corporation lawyer. Later in her train was observed Clifton Webb, the dancer of musical comedy. There were even rumors of an engagement, apparently strengthened when Miss Eagels sailed for abroad with Mr. Webb and his mother as fellow passengers.

Nuptials in Paris or Madrid were forecast, but the guesses were plainly bad ones; for Miss Eagels returned shortly on the same ship with other theatrical and non-theatrical friends, including Louise Groody, the dancer, and Jimmie Auditore, the "millionaire stevedore." Miss Eagels sported no platinum or gold wedding band on her slim finger, but around her throat was a $30,000 rope of diamonds. One night a hand, reaching from the darkness on deck, gripped the jewels and tossed them into the sea. The minor mystery of the hand's identity was never officially settled.

So much for Miss Eagels. As for Warren, despite his youth, he, too, has been a figure to command interest. A member of the Racquet, Knickerbocker and Tennis Clubs, he left exclusive Groton School to enter the war. There his valor was swiftly recognized. On his return the Medaille Militaire and other coveted decorations gleamed from his uniform. But not only on this account did his name appear in the headlines. His engagement was announced to Miss Geraldine Miller Graham, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Miller Graham, of New York, Newport and Santa Barbara. Beautiful and gifted with ability in writing, composing and sports, Miss Graham had been hailed as "the loveliest girl in America" by the Prince of Wales.

In spite of all this, the betrothal was shortly broken off "by mutual consent." From that day till the one which gave rise to the Warren-Eagels rumors, both young Whitney and Jeanne were popularly supposed to be heartwhole.

Heartwhole or not, the fact remains that the youthful Whitney did NOT sail for Europe on the Italian liner, Duilio, after the betrothal reports had been spread, although passage had been booked for him by his father. What caused this change in his plans constitutes still another secret in the Great Eagels Mystery.

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What Well Dressed Women Will Wear

By Anne Rittenhouse

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France Suggests To America a Return To Mannish Tailored Suits

ONE can do anything with a tailored suit by treating it right. It deserves distinction, which it rarely gets. We act as though it were a poor relation to the richer gowns in the closet. It is given any kind of a blouse, any hat will do for it, the oldest shoes are worn with it, it goes about in the rain and snow, while better frocks hang in muslin bags awaiting formal occasions, motor cars, and sunshine. All this is to be changed.

France brought to our attention the shabby treatment we have given this kind of dress, which, above all others, is supposedly 100 per cent American. Just as Paris has shown the Londoner what a very alluring and frivolous thing an umbrella can be, instead of an ugly, serviceable, rainy-day thing that one hated to carry, she is trying to prove to America that her own type of costume is more than a passably good thing; that it has dash, charm, style. Therefore, it has a new incarnation.

It is given a chance to play a larger role than it has done for several years. Days were when it carried an ornamental blouse after we had graduated from the wash shirtwaist. Such days have returned, but, curiously enough, not through the French influence. It appears that there will be a wide divergence between the Paris and the New York manner. We intend to widen the scope of the coat and skirt, including it among the costumes that are not limited to one kind of usuage.

Overblouses Make Costumes.

The overblouse makes this possible. Its glories and attractions are too tempting to limit it to the separate skirt, or to hide its light under a coat. Let the rule be what it may concerning a lady removing her coat in public to appear in shirtsleeves, she will break it. Once she was still a lady, even though she took off her coat in the very eye and teeth of the public, and those were days when ladies existed, not flappers, gamines, romps.

If she wears an expensive and colorful overblouse, be it of printed Indian silk, gold-embroidered crepe de chine, silver tissue with colored monogram, Persian brocade, she intends to show it. A fig for what constitutes a lady. She is right. The fit and finish of the overblouse makes her right.

When the jacket is removed she appears in an excellent semblance of a one-piece frock. It is only under these conditions that the coat comes off. With a tucked-in shirtwaist of wash silk, with an embroidered dimity sport waist, the jacket stays on. Realizing these rules, every woman tries to make the overblouse do its full duty by taking on the coloration of the suit.

It is permissible to imitate a tailored suit with a one-piece frock that carries the brilliancy of an overblouse as its top portion, but the newer idea is not to do this. It is the incoming of the genuine tailored suit, not its imitations, that makes for news. We have had much of the so-called three-piece suits. We like a bit more variety. It is rather stimulating to put on a different kind of waist for various hours and opportunities.

This is easily done with the present three-quarter coat, sometimes embellished with peltry at its hem, certainly at its neck and wrists, which gives it somewhat the air of a protective wrap. It might be a top coat cut short for reasons of weight and convenience. The incoming short jacket, however, presents more of a problem. It will cause some wrinkling of the brow.

This newer garment has nothing of the well-worn jumper jacket in its make-up. It stirs the memory of those who once wore covert cloth jackets with separate skirts of dark blue serge and mannish shirts of striped madras or wash China silk. Those were times when women had waists and wore corsets and were proud of both, caring naught that curving hips swelled outward. Will such figures arrive with the revival of the jackets? Hardly. Fashions change too quickly for figures to change with them. Diaphragms and waists are not under control these days. Furthermore, these jackets of the near future are cut on straight underarm lines, except by those who insist upon being different from their fellow-women. Such insurgent individuals nip the underarm seam into the pretence of a curve and flare the hip part of the jacket into a faint suggestion of crinoline. There is no doubt that both these features of fashion will obtrude themselves upon us.

Copied From Men's Garments.

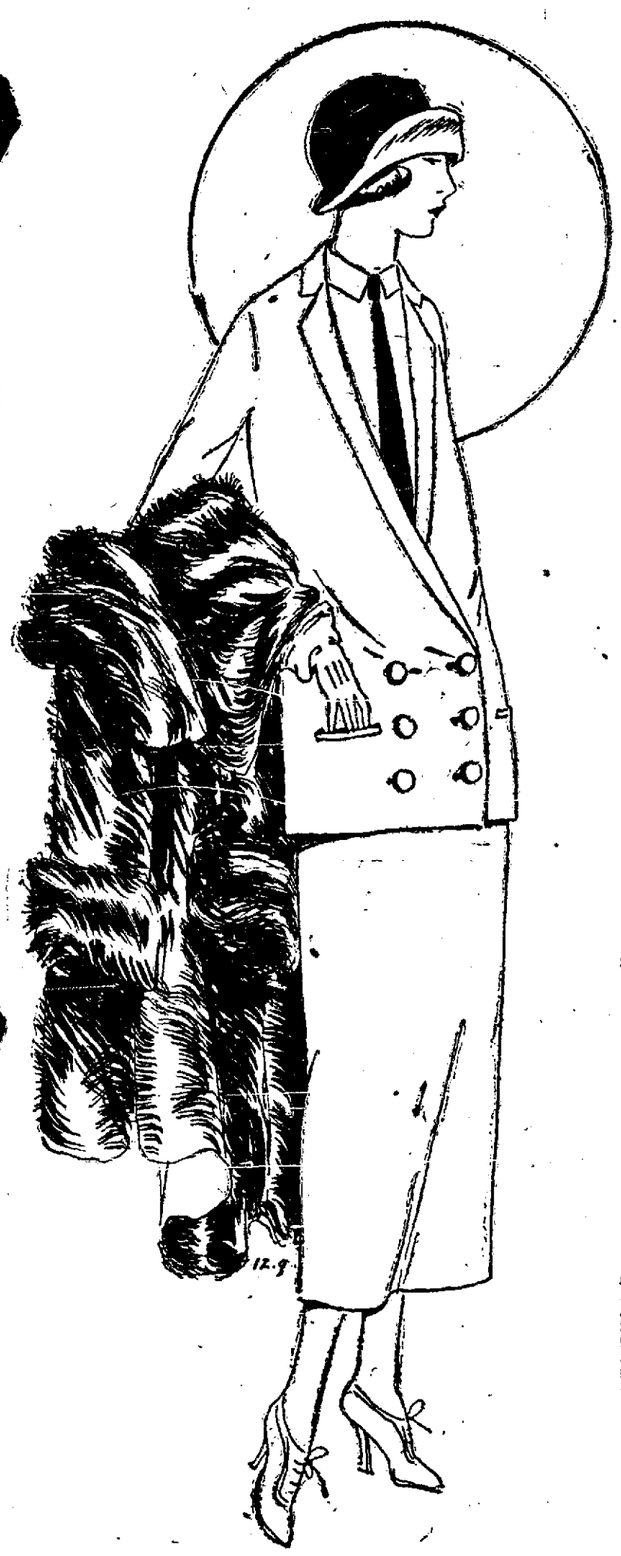
Masculine is the coat, feminine are the accessories, is the creed. France copied the present jacket from the loose lounging coat worn by the men of that nation.

Its underarm seams are plumb from shoulder to hem, its armholes are small and snugly fitted high into the armpits, the lapels and collar are well-known accessories to men's coats, there are three buttons above the waist or three below it, and real pockets are placed at each side, one at the breast.

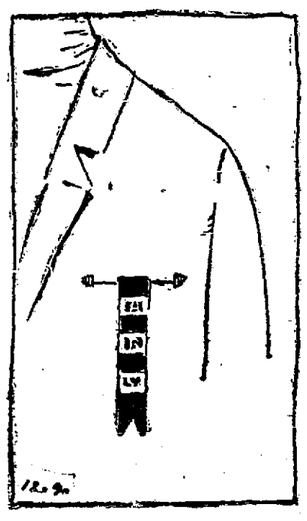
With such a jaunty jacket goes the most severe skirt, almost too narrow to step in, short enough to show a goodly portion of the transparent stocking in a light color, swung to a camisole top as a rule, unless one is afraid to cut off all chance of wearing a tuck-in shirtwaist. It is often made of black or rust velvet, a material that was not considered proper for the walking suit in other times, but no one pays attention to creed and code of the preceding generations. Pearls were once kept for gala occasions, but now they are worn to business, which is a striking example of what not to do, but what everyone does. Patent pumps with immense silver buckles placed below stockings that closely resemble flesh are as frequent on highways and byways as were black lisle and sturdy boots in less capricious days.

Indian printed silk stock collar worn with black tailored suit for the street. The hat is of silk plush with more of a brim than usual, the ribbon crown band tied at back in a stiff bow and the front decorated with a slide of cut silver initials.

The new kind of tailored suit from Paris which has a coat fashioned on the lines of a man's jacket for the morning. It has a short skirt without ornamentation, the jacket has long mannish sleeves and revers, also pockets. A white "modesty piece" shows in the opening as substitute for blouse. A white gardenia is in the lapel. Initials in silver are applied to the upper pocket.



Sacque suit for morning hours built of wool velour in deep beige. The jacket is cut like a man's tweed coat with low double-breasted fastening and hip pockets. The long lapels show the front of a soft silk shirt with mannish collar and long silk cravat. The soft felt hat is turned up to a point in front.



Three silver initials are placed on a band of black faille ribbon to serve as a pocket fob on a strictly tailored street or sport skirt. Such fobs have been revived by the French women, and are expected to go well over here.

Above—Cape suit for the South in gray cloth copied after the old English garments with high collar of the cloth. The cape is lined with Indian printed crepe. The short skirt is plain and narrow. With it goes a black topper hat. At right—Tailored suit of black velvet for formal afternoon affairs showing the modified Cambodian jacket with flaring side godents. The high collar is trimmed with narrow bands of ermine. The wide cuffs carry bits of the same fur. The Russian turban with its pointed front is made of black faille ribbon.

The Simple, Mannish Suit.

There is another kind of tailored costume which is beginning to serve all ages for the morning hours. It is what we were accustomed to wear when the masculine suit was the national uniform. The fabrics chosen are soft and flexible, dark or light, of sturdy tweed or homespun. Fur is usually omitted.

The skirt is of the prevailing type, which is pre-war in its simplicity and abbreviation. The loose sacque coat has narrow shoulders, long sleeves with buttons at wrist, two hip pockets, and no belt. Remember, there are no belts with any suit. That accessory is laid on the shelf.

With such a suit goes a crepe de chine blouse with square neck and long sleeves, trimmed with rows of openwork; that is, if one is conventional. But if one accepts new things quickly, the choice is a striped tub silk with turnover collar and waist-length cravat of the fabric, or of silk to match the colored stripe.

No one attempts to add serviceable oxford ties to such masculine severity. The ornate type of Egyptian sandal is chosen, possessing such thickness that Cleopatra would have sent them to the backwoods, if there had been such in Egypt. Brown, the American Indian brown, is the leather for the street, matched with Indian stockings, which are preferred to the color known as "nude" this season.

The Nipped-in Waist.

No doubt we shall see more of the curved jacket as the warm weather approaches. The extremists are advancing the style now. The lines of the body are rather closely followed, giving the woman with a moderately small waist the chance to exploit it. The hip part is short and slightly flaring, the sleeves are long and tight, bone buttons fasten the fronts over the diaphragm, the lapels are snugly cut and fitted.

With this jacket goes a modesty piece of chiffon, lace, or muslin and lace. The blouse is omitted. This makes for economy, but no one can remove the coat. It is a necessary part of the costume. The blousemakers do not want these modesty pieces to be revived, which is natural, but there is room enough in the world for both. Women who are thick in the upper part of the body are well pleased to see them return. They give a neat and trig line. Strange if we should come back to what was once called "a fine figure of a woman." There are sufficient suggestions of it just now among the clothes with the Oriental straight line to make the expert watch straws.

The Mannish Shirt Appears.

Tub silk frocks have been offered for the warm climes in winter months, therefore it was natural that plain and plaited shirtwaists of the same fabric should follow. They go with the loose sacque coat and narrow skirt built of homespun or tweed. Many of these carry the starched white collar, rather narrow, of the Gibson Girl period. The long cravat takes precedence over others. Everywhere among the new models there is evidence that collars are to be revived.

There are white linen shirts with finely plaited bosoms to vex the laundress. They have plain sleeves with turnover cuffs and a standing collar with starch in it. Link cuffbuttons are revived to play their old part in the scheme of dress.

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A MATING IN THE WILDS

BY OTTWELL BINNS

BEGIN HERE TODAY

Hubert Stane, discharged convict rescues Helen Yardely from the river when her canoe drifts toward a dangerous waterfall. He promises to return Helen to her uncle's camp near a trading post of the Hudson Bay Company. Together they flee from a forest fire. They find a deserted cabin and take possession. Indians attack the cabin.

Helen is abducted and Stane is left for dead. Benard, a trapper, revives him and they start in pursuit of Helen's abductors. Gerald Ainley, in love with Helen, shoots her captors and rescues the girl. Helen does not believe the story told by Ainley.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

He came to a sudden descent in the trail that he was following. It was made by a small stream that in spring flooded down to the lake but which now was frozen solid. In the blinding snow-wrack he never even saw it, and stepping on air, he pitched down the bank, and rolled in a confused heap in the deep snow at the bottom. For a full minute he lay there, out of the wind and biting snow-hail feeling like a man who has stumbled out of bitter cold to a soft couch in a warm room. His mind asserted itself again, his purpose dominated his wavering faculties and he staggered to his feet.

"Helen!" he muttered. "Helen!"

He faced the bank of the stream on the other side from that which had caused his downfall. Then he paused. There was something — twenty seconds passed before he remembered. His rifle! It was somewhere in the snow, he must find it, for he might yet have need of it. He groped about, and presently recovered it, then after considering for a moment, instead of ascending to the level, he began to walk downstream, sheltered by the high banks.

The banks of the stream lowered and opened suddenly. The withering force of the blast struck him, the snow buffeted him, and for a moment he stood held in his tracks, then the wind momentarily slackened, and dimly through the driving snow he caught sight of something that loomed shadowlike before him. It was the bluff that he was seeking, and as he moved towards it, the wind broken, grew less boisterous, though a steady stream of fine hard snow swept down upon him from its height. The snow blanketed everything, and he could see nothing; then he heard a dog yelp and tumbled forward in the direction of the sound. A minute later, in the shelter of some high rocks, he saw a camp-fire, beside which a team of dogs in harness huddled in the snow anchored there by the sled turned on its side, and by the fire a man crouched and stared into the snow-wrack. As he visioned them, Stane ripped the rifle from the hollow of his arm and staggered forward like a drunken man.

The man by the fire becoming aware of him leaped suddenly to his feet. In a twinkling his rifle was at his shoulder, and through the wild humorous note of the wind, Stane caught his hail. "Hands up! You murderer!"

Something in the voice struck reminiscently on his ears, and this, he recognized instantly, was not the hail of a man who had just committed a terrible crime. He dropped

"YOU, DANDY?"

his rifle and put up his hands. The man changed his rifle swiftly for a pistol, and began to advance. Two yards away he stopped.

"Stane! by——!"

Then Stane recognized him. It was Dandy Anderton, the mounted policeman, and in the relief of the moment he laughed suddenly.

"You, Dandy?"

"Yes! What in heaven's name is the meaning of it all? Did you see anything. Hear the firing? There are two dead men out there in the snow." He jerked his head towards the lake. "And there was a dog-team, but llost it in the snow. Do you know anything about it, Stane? I hope that you had no hand in this killing?"

"No, I had no hand in that killing. I don't understand it at all, but that sledge, we must find it, for to the best of my belief, Miss Yardely is on it."

The policeman stretched a hand towards a heap of smoldering ashes, where rested a pan, and pouring some boiling coffee into a tin cup, handed it Stane.

Stane continued his narrative, and when he had finished Anderton spoke again. "That solitary man with the team whom you saw coming down the lake, must have been me. I turned into the wood a mile or two on the other side of this bluff to camp out of the snow which I saw was coming. Then it struck me that I should do better on this side, and I worked towards it. I was just on the other side when the shooting began, and I hurried forward, but the snow came and wiped out everything, though I had an impression of a second dog-team waiting by the shore as I came round. When I looked for it I couldn't find it; and then I tumbled on this camp, and as there was nothing else to be done until the snow slackened I unharnessed."

Stane looked round. "This would be the place where the man, who was to have paid the kidnapers their price, waited for them."

"And paid them in lead, no doubt with the idea of covering his own tracks completely."

"That seems likely" agreed Stane.

"But who—" Anderton broke off suddenly and leaped to his feet. "Great Christopher! Look there!" Stane looked swiftly in the direction indicated, and as the veil of snow broke for a moment, caught sight of a huddled form crawling in the snow.

"What—" he began.

"It's a man. I saw him distinctly," interrupted the policeman, and then as the snow swept down again he ran from the shelter of the camp.

A minute and a half later he staggered back, dragging a man with him. He dropped the man by the fire, poured some coffee into a pannikin, and as the new-comer, with a groan, half-raised himself to look round, he held the coffee towards him.

"Here, drink this, it'll do you—" he interrupted himself sharply, then in a tone of exultation he cried. "Chigmok!"

"Oui!" answered the man. "I am Chigmok! And thou?"

"I am the man of the Law," answered Anderton, "who has been at your heels for weeks."

"So!" answered the half-breed in native speech, with a hopeless gesture. "It had been better to have died the snow-death, but I shall die before they hang me, for I am hurt."

They washed and dressed the wound, made the half-breed as comfortable as they could; then as he reposed by the fire, Anderton found the man's pipe, filled it, he'd a burning stick whilst he lit it, and when it was drawing nicely, spoke:

'Now, Chigmok, you owe me something for all this, you know. Just to tell us the meaning of the game you were playing."

"Then I tell you." His dark eyes turned to Stane. 'You not know me?"

"No," answered Stane. "I never saw you in my life before."

"But I haf seen you. Oui! I steal your canoe when you sleep!"

"You know wh was in the tent?" asked Stane sharply.

"I fin' dat out see ver' next morning, when I meet a man who ask for see white girl. Ah, I haf seen dat man b'fore. I see heem shoot see paddle from see girl's hand—".

"Who was this man?" asked Stane grimly, as the half-breed paused.

"I not know; but he is see ver' same man dat was to have paid see price of guns an' blankets for see girl dat vos in see cabin."

"And who said I was to die?"

"Oui! He ord dat! But dat man has see one devil. He fix for me bring see girl here, where see price veel be paid; den when I come he begin to shoot, becos he veel not see price pay."

"What sort of a man was he? What did he look like, Chimok?"

"He dark an' vhat you call hah'some. He haf sometimes one glass to hees eye, an—"

"Ainley, by Heaven!" cried Stane in extreme amazement.

"Lor', what a whirligig life is. I never thought—Hallo! Who's this? Jean Benard, or I'm a sinner!"

Jean Benard it was, and his face lighted with pleasure as he staggered into the camp.

"I fear for M'sieu" he said to Stane in simple explanation, therefore I come. Bo'jour, M'sieu Anderton, dis ees a good meeting on zee bad day!"

CHAPTER XXII.

As Helen Yardely caught sight of Ainley's face, for a moment she was cried: "You? You?"

"Yes," he answered quickly, "I have been seeking you for weeks, and I find you in the nick of time. But there is no time to explain now. There were others with your captors; saw the sledge following behind. We must get away at once."

As he spoke he cut the thongs which bound her to the sledge and helped her to rise.

"Get on the sledge, Helen," said Ainley, bruscquely. "There is no time to waste. We must hurry."

They turned from the storm-ridden lake to the shelter of the great woods. Except for forced halts to unravel the harness when it caught in the bushes, they did not stop for two hours, but pressed on until they reached an open space in the woods which they crossed in a smother of blinding snow. On the other side of this break they came to a fresh spur of forest, and when they had penetrated to the shelter of the trees once more, the first voluntary halt was made.

"Of whom are you afraid?" asked Helen.

'Indians! We were forced to shoot three of your captors; and those of their friends who were following on behind may feel impelled to try and avenge their deaths."

"Oh!" said the girl; a note of such evident disappointment in her tone, that Ainley looked at her quickly.

"I have an idea," he said, "and I will explain when we camp. Just now I must have a word with my men. Coffee will be ready in a few minutes; and there will be bacon and biscuits, which if not exactly appetizing will be sustaining."

"I shall not mind bacon and biscuit," answered Helen, and as Ainley walked away a look of deep thought came on the girl's face.

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THE TANGLE

An Intimate Story of Innermost Emotions Revealed in Private Letters

LETTER FROM MRS. JOSEPH GRAVES HAMILTON TO LESLIE PRESCOTT

MY DEAR DAUGHTER:

I can't understand why we have not received a letter from you lately. Your father said the other day with a queer little smile that he expected he would have to be dangerously ill again if he wanted to hear from you with any regularity. You were so faithful while he was ill that I expect you got him into the bad habit of expecting a daily letter.

Of course, dear, I know it is because it is very human when we know our friends and relatives are perfectly well and happy to neglect them a little while pursuing our own health and happiness.

You may be surprised to learn that your father and I are going to London on the Mauretania, which sails on the tenth. I hope you will come down to see us off.

Your father is still far from well and I have persuaded him to give up all thoughts of business. Besides, we are perhaps foolishly anxious to see our daughter in her presentation robes. I think they must be very wonderful because she has been spending a very great deal of money.

In any of her letters to you, Leslie, has Alice intimated in any way that Karl is in love with her? Altho she has said nothing to me on the subject I have someway got that impression. Of course I would be very happy if this should happen, for I think Alice has always had a great admiration and respect for Karl. Of course we all knew that Karl was hopelessly in love with you and if he had recovered and fallen in love with Alice, I am sure both your father and I would be delighted as we are very fond of him.

She has been talking a great deal lately in my letters about a young Englishman and I'd like to go over and see for myself what chances Karl has with her. You know, Leslie, that Alice is very headstrong about her own affairs. I have always felt, dear, that she was a little resentful of you. In her great admiration for Karl she felt that you did not treat him right—in fact I heard her say so—when you married John. Then she was so happy when he decided to go to England with her that I hoped at the time that she and Karl would make a match.

Lately, however, she has seemed to be a little worried about something and has kept asking questions about you and your affairs. Among other things she asked me if you had had your beads strung. I expect she means those pearl beads she gave you. I did not know you had broken them.

We are leaving day after tomorrow for New York and we will be in town about a week. Do you suppose you could leave that blessed baby of yours in Nannie's care long enough to come down and stay a day or two with us?

Telegraph me if this can be done.

Lovingly, MOTHER.

Wire From Leslie Prescott to Mrs. Joseph Graves Hamilton

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TOMORROW—Leslie Prescott to the little Marquise—A heated quarrel with Jack.

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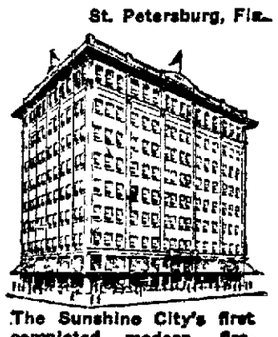

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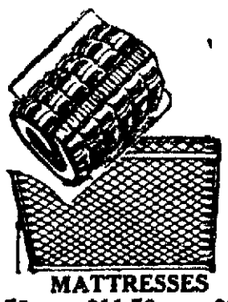

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ADA

Dale Rothrock has gone to his post of duty in Philadelphia after visiting with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Geo Rothrock, and friends.

Dr. and Mrs. Howard Mitchell of Columbus were callers at the Earl Huber home last week.

Cecil Ridgeway and wife have taken up their residence in the Alice Preston home while Mrs. Preston is spending the winter in Long Beach, Calif., with her sister Mrs. D. M. Darby.

Dr and Mrs. P. F. Droegea and son went to Marion Sunday. Mrs. Droege remaining their to ship their household goods to Ada.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Tipple are in Columbus this week attending a three day session of the Ohio State Dental Association.

Mrs. Almira Wolfly and daughter-in-law, Mrs. Della Wolfly, left this week for Bredentown, Florida, where they will spend the winter.

Mrs. Arnold McComb and daughters of Wellsville are spending the month of December at Mrs. McComb's girlhood home, Mr. and Mrs. James Fiiks.

Ed Laitue left this week for an extensive trip thru Missouri, Kansas, Arkansas and Texas, making visits in these states.

Mrs. C. E. Hayden is visiting her son Harold and wife in Marion this week.

The Misses Ethel and Anna Ewing of Cleveland and Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Ewing of Forest, completed the family circle for the Dr. J. H. Ewing's Thanksgiving dinner.

Mrs. Guy Detrick, son Stanley, daughter Dorothy and mother Mrs. Cloninger spent the Thanksgiving season in Springfield.

Mr. anad Mrs. T. M. Young spent the week end in Toledo with their son Herbert and wife.

Mrs. Wheeler McMillen and son Robert are spending a few weeks with Mr. and Mrs. L. D. McMillen while the husband and son, Wheeler, attend the National Farm Bureau meeting and the International Stock Show of Chicago.

OTTOVILLE

Henry Eickholt returned to Toledo, Monday after visiting several days with Mrs. Ellen Eicholt and family.

Lawrence Schneeg and Miss Margaret Schneeg returned to Ft. Wayne, Friday after spending several days with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Schneeg.

Misses Mary and Irma Giesken returned to Lima Sunday evening after a several days' visit with Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Vincke and family.

Miss Edith Lauer returned from Toledo, Monday after visiting several days with relatives and friends there.

Miss Euletta Rieger returned to Ottawa Sunday after a week's visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Rieger and family.

Nick Lauer left Monday for Dayton for a week's visit with relatives there.

Arlo Eickholt and Miss Bernice Eicholt returned to Cloverdale, Sunday after visiting several days with Mrs. Ellen Eickholt and family.

Miss Bernadette Schlagbaum returned to Ft. Wayne, Friday after a several days' visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Schlabaum and family.

Mrs. Fred Lauer and sons, Tommy, Bobby and John of Toledo, came Wednesday for a week's visit with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ernst.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Brinkman and son, Howard of Delphos, visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Henry B n and family.

Mrs. W. R. Hubbard of Toledo, came Sunday for a week's visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Lauer.

Vincent Wannemacher returned to Ft. Wayne, Wednesday after a several days' visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Wannemacher.

Amedeus Friemoth returned to Ft. Wayne, Friday after a week's visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Friemoth and family.

LAFAYETTE

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Cole of Lima, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Mell Greenawalt.

Mr. and Mrs. Elza Durbin and daughter, Genevieve of Lima, spent Thursday afternoon with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Durbin.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Roberts spent the week-end with relatives in Findlay.

Mrs. William Guthrie of the Sandusky-rd is seriously ill with pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. William B. Hawk spent Sunday at Lima, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clem Albert.

The King's Daughters of the Christian church met at the home of Mrs. Esther Hall, Wednesday evening for their monthly business meeting.

Mrs. Henry Knoble who was removed to her home last Wednesday from the Lima hospital is improving nicely.

Mrs. Ella Hawk and Gladys Stauffer returned home from Akron Sunday, after spending the week-end with the formers daughter, Mrs. Mae Patton and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Avery Watt entertained as Sunday dinner guests Leroy Hall and Miss Margaret Scoles and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Tullis.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Andersen of Marion-rd, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Watt.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Durbin spent Sunday afternoon at Harrod, the guests of the former's brother, Findlay Durbin and family.

Mrs. Naomi Holderman and little daughter of Toledo, are here visiting with the former's parents Mr. and Mrs. Rupert A. Watt.

Miss Nevelda Hall spent the week-end with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Andrews of Marion road.

MANDALE

Ralph Barnes and wife and Earl Gudakunst and wife spent Sunday at the Mrs. Ella Gudakunst home.

Mrs. Thomas Harpster of Findlay, spent the week-end with relatives here.

Ed. McClure visited at the M. Miller home Saturday.

Reed Gudakunst and wife visited relatives at Grover Hill Sunday.

Calvin Harpster and family of Mishawaka, Ind., spent the week-end with relatives in these parts.

H. S. Butler who is employed at the Paulding sugar plant spent Thanksgiving at his home near here.

Regnal Plummer and family of near Venedocia spent Sunday at the C. A. Harpster home.

John Barnes was a business caller at Oakwood Saturday.

Wm. Osenga and children spent Sunday at the home of his mother, Mrs. Katy Osenga, near Ottoville. Mrs. Osenga celebrated her 75th birthday Sunday.

Mrs. Ella Gudakunst returned home Wednesday after an extended visit with relatives at Lima.

Issiac Priest visited at the home of his son, Ed Priest and family, Wednesday.

MIDDLE POINT

Guy McGowen spent Thursday with his brother Lloyd McGowen and family.

Mrs. Ross Parker of Van Wert spent Thursday with Mrs. Albert Powell.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Pollock of Ft. Wayne spent Sunday with Mrs. Pollock's parents Mr. and Mrs. P. V. [illegible]ley and son Robert.

Mr. and Mrs. Keller of Lima spent [illegible]day in Middle Point.

[illegible] Opal Gross is spending a few days in Muncie with her husband Ralph Gross.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Sheley were callers in Ohio City Sunday afternoon.

Lee Kesler is a patient at the Van Wert County hospital.

Mrs Charles Wolfe and son Kenneth called on Mrs Frank McMannis Wednesday evening.

Richard Keller of Ft. Wayne spent Thursday with his wife and Mr. and Mrs. Dan Freisner and family.

Miss Vera Glover of Van Wert and Miss Marie Mueller of Lima called on Mrs. Harold Eversole Friday afternoon

LIBERTY CHAPEL

Miss Fay McElwain of Olmstead Falls, spent her Thanksgiving vacation with her parents Mr. and Mrs. M. L. McElwain.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Hedges, near Lafayette, were dinner guests of Mrs. Sarah Hedges, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey McClure entertained Mr. and Mrs. Harley Hall and daughters, Martha Jane and Ruth of Lima, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Boyd and family took Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Patterson.

J. L. Ludwig and Otto Ludwig of Detroit, spent the past week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Ludwig.

Mrs. Sarah Hedges and Hiram Hedges spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Hedges and family near Lima.

Miss Mary Ludwig of Lima, spent the latter part of the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Ludwig.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. McElwain and family were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Helser near Lafayette, Thansgiving day.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Boyd spent Sunday evening in Lima, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Bryan.

The dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. McClure Thanksgiving day were Mr. and Mrs. Richard Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Nicolet and daughter of Lima; Mr. and Mrs. Harvey McClure, Mr. and Mrs. Elza Hall and family and Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Hall and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Wirt and family spent Sunday with friends in Ada.

Mrs. E. G Boyd and Mrs. W. B. Boyd spent Wednesday with Mrs. Mary Gastings of Ada.

ELIDA

A surprise Thanksgiving program was rendered by the Otterbein Guild at the home of Rev. Jordan, U. B. minister. Those who took part in the program were Mrs. Chas. Baxter, Misses Ruth Carr, Naomi Sherry, Ruth and Irene Jordan, O. G. Colers.

Mrs. Alice Lynd and daughter Louise after a month's visit with Mr. and Mrs. Pete Trembley left Sunday for their home in Mountreal Canada.

Miss Dorothy DeMay of Medina-co, a student of Ada College, was the over Sunday guest of Miss Florence Ridenour.

Dwight Roush of Springfield, Ohio, called here Sunday on his sister, Miss Alta Roush who is spending the winter with their aunt, Mrs. Amelia Crawford.

Mrs. Curihila Carr and daughter Helen entertained Thanksgiving Day Mrs. Ross Kefhart and son Herbert and Mrs. Bertha Carr and daughter Ruth.

Clarence Flychbaugh and family of Lima spent Sunday here at the I. C. Stemen home.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Mowery of Alger spent Sunday here with his brother and family.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Harriff entertained relatives Thanksgiving from Toledo, Prairie Depot, and Bradner.

Forest Irkin and family of Cario spent Sunday here with John Culf and family.

Mrs. Nancy Hurlbutt and son Earl of Lima were Thanksgiving guests of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Barnt.

Miss Helen Gouls after a week's illness was able to resume her position as teacher in the third and fourth grades Monday.

Samuel Lutz and wife spent Thanksgiving Day with Wm. Benedum and wife.

L. E. Jordan and family after a three weeks visit with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Clsco returned Monday to Rockey River, Cleveland.

Chas. Lamb and family of Denlcon spent the week end here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Trembly.

NIPTITE

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Place of Salem were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bubn Peeple.

Mr. and Mrs. Orvin Plaugher, of Rousculp and Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Klinger of LaFayette were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Plaugher

Mr. and Mrs. John Lenenberger of Lima were Thanksgiving dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gibbs.

Mrs. Belle Kerr has gone to Lima to spend the winter with her daughter Mrs. O. C. Plummer.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Miller took Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Line of New Hampshire.

Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Mowbray and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Greenwalt and family of Lima spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Chiles.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Barnett of West Minster spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs John Blank.

Mr. and Mrs. David Myers of Lima sent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Elaine Hover, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Scogin and William Hover spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. Vernon Hover of Lima.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Place of Cleveland have returned to their home after visiting their brother and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Place.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wallace of West Minster and Mr. and Mrs. Reed Strawser spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Strawser.

Misses Beatrice Spencer and Woneta McGinnis of West Newton spent Sunday with Miss Irena Plummer.

CRIDERSVILLE

Mrs. George Reoss returned to her home at Columbus, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith Bear spent Sunday at the home or her son Harve Bear of ElmView.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Vermillion and daughter Cathryn visited relatives at Lima Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Drumond and daughter Mary Gene of Bellefontaine, were the week end guests at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Charles Baldwin.

The funeral services for John Moyer were held at the Lutheran church Thursday afternoon.

Edgar Reichelderfer of Pontiac, Michigan, visited with relatives here the week end.

Miss Helen Stepleton of Dayton was the week end guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Stepleton.

Miss Hannah Collins of Van Wert is visiting at the home of Mrs. Mary De Long.

R. B. Specce and family spent Sunday at Fostoria.

The Missionary society of the M. E. church met at the home of Mrs. E. E. Arthur, Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs Sophia Reichelderfer returned to Upper Sandusky after a short stay here. She is spending the winter at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Henry.

The Missionary society of the Lutheran church met at the home of Mrs. Elias Roser, Thursday afternoon.

Miss Sanda of Columbus, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Arthur.

FORT RECOVERY

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Johnson of Cincinnati, returned home Sunday having been visitors the past week at the [illegible] of Mrs. S. J. Johnson.

Miss Cherry Van Deusen who is attending Teachers' college at Indianapolis spent Thanksgiving with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. William Van Deusen.

Mrs. T. E. Watson of Portland, was a guest Sunday of Mrs. Hattie Caylor.

The following were entertained at the home of Mrs. Anna Shatz of Portland, Sunday. Mrs. Fred Hull, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Hull, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. King, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Snyder and daughter, Onolere, the Misses Cassie Hull and Amelia King.

Miss Charlotte Kolp who is attending school at Columbus spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Clara Kolp.

The following were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Bryon, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Betz of Celina, Mrs. Claud Stillson and children of Lima.

Miss Noma Detro of Sandusky is visiting relatives here.

Mrs. Mary Frisbie of Covington, Ky., is a guest of Dr. and Mrs. Huerkamp.

George Heffner of California, who returned recently from a trip to Russia and Germany visited his brother, J. E. Hener and family last week.

The members of the Loyal Climbers class of the Sunday school of the First Church of Christ, were entertained Tuesday evening at the home of their teacher, Mrs. D. A. Bebee.

Lloyd Thompson of Van Wert, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Heistand of Rossburg were visitors recently of Mr. and Mrs. James Thompson.

COLUMBUS GROVE

Mrs. C. H. Jones entertained the New Century club last Monday afternoon. Mrs. Graham of Sidney was a guest.

Miss Fern Lafferty entertained the Noplus Bridge club from Lima at a covered luncheon last Thursday afternoon. Those present were: Mesdames A. E. Shindollar, R. G. Basinger, W. C. Berryhill, C. H. Towe, G. W. Swift, H. N. Wrigglesworth, John Pohlabel.

Mrs. Frank Luginbill was hostess to the U. B. Missionary society last Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Martha Mark, Miss Evans of Vaughnsville and Miss Leah Evens of Piqua were guests last Sunday at the Maurice Evans home.

Mrs. Dr. Sink was hostess to the Profit and Pleasure club last Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Claude Waltz and son Jack of Crestline and Mrs. Ed Edelbrock and daughter Betty Jo of Kalida visited their parents Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Turner several days last week and returned home Thanksgiving day.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Doty returned last week after several months stay with their daughter in Erie, Pa.

Mr. aand Mrs. Albert Amstuz, of Beaverdam announce the birth of a boy last Friday. Mrs. Amstuz was formerly Mrs. Reno Moore of this place.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Bert Brogan a girl.

Mrs. H. F. Buscho who underwent an operation at the City hospital at Lima last Monday is improving nicely.

Mrs. Elmer Brogan spent last Sunday in Lima with Mrs. Virginia Brogan.

L. K. Irwin who underwent an operation some months agos died at hi home last Thursday.

VAUGHNSVILLE

Mrs. Grace Tilford of Cleveland is visiting at D. L. Thomas' home.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Huffman entertained Miss Alice Huffman of Seattle, and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Huffman and son John, of New York, Saturday.

Mrs. J. W. Kemper spent Thanksgiving with her sister, Mrs. Rose Melroy and family at Ada.

S. A. Acton a Civil war veteran celebrated his 79th birthday sunday. His sons, Ira and family and John and wife and Mrs. Catherine Smith spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Acton.

Harry Reese and wife and Mrs. Hope Collar and family spent Thursday in Lima the guests of D. R. Thomas.

Dr. Alford Jones and family of Belle Center were Sunday guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Jones.

Mrs. Sarah Sneary is visiting relatives in Beaverdam and Ada.

Mrs. Richard Lemly spent the week end with her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Laning, Ada.

Dr. and Mrs. Kenneth Sneary of Zanesfield were guests of his parents Sunday.

Marvin Bemis and Miss Myra Rower of Toledo, were guests of the latter's aunt, Mrs. Ann Thomas, Thanksgiving.

Elizabeth and Reed Williams of Ana were here visiting relatives this week.

Mrs. Gladys Rigdon and son Glen, and Mrs. Lee Newton of Bowling Green were week end guests of relatives.

Ben Evans moved to Gomer last week.

Ed. Grubenhoff, Ottoville, attended the Thanksgiving supper at the Union church, Tuesday evening.

PLEASANT VIEW

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Miller entertained at dinner Thursday, Mr and Mrs R. D. Cummings, of Toledo, Mrs. Burgoon, of Unlopolis, and Mr. and Mrs. Grover Kipker and children, of Lima.

Melvin and Maggie Schaefer were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Don Lackey at dinner Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Stalter and family, Miss Roweena Leedy and Mr. Tim Brennaman, of Elida, and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Rusmisel and children were entertained at dinner Sunday by Mr. and Mrs. Agnes Carroll.

Rev. and Mrs. O. P. Haines and children, of Lima, spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Will Engle.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Raney and children and D. W. Miller of Lima, Dr. and Mrs. M. C. Miller, of Cairo, and Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Miller took dinner Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Miller.

Ed Holt of Lima, spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Will Holt.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ritchie were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Leedy at dinner Sunday.

Lowell Byerly has returned to his home from Van Wert, where he has been a patient in the Van Wert hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Landes entertained at dinner Thursday Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Landes, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Landis and children, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Kiracofe and children and Mrs. and Mrs. Dave Byerly and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Burgoon were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Miller.

ST. MARYS

Catain G. M. Baudabaugh, Major Emil F. Marx, Lieutenant Joseph Walsh and Lieutenant Thomas Needels attended the state national guard convention in Columbus.

Rev. Homer A. Neff was at the mid-week Presbyterial meeting in Cleveland.

Dr. W. B. Horton has returned from Columbus, where he attended the dentists' convention.

Walter Montgomery has returned to Lima following a visit at the T. E. Reed residence, West Jackson-st.

Mrs. Clarence Stera and daughter, Regina Vivian, visited Tuesday with Lola Patterson in Lima.

Hugo Kellermeyer has resumed his studies in Central Seminary, Dayton, following a visit with his parents, Mr and Mrs. Fred Kellermeyer.

Philber Abe, Sidney, was a first of the week caller at the residence of his father, John Abe, East Spring-st.

Mrs. Mary Bonnette has returned to Marysville following a visit of several days with her daughter-in-law, Mrs Ruby Bonnette.

Carl Ike and Naomi Risk were first of the week callers at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. DeWeese, Lima.

George Fritz, Muncie, Indiana, is visiting his mother, Mrs. Mary Fritz.

NEW HAMPSHIRE

Elizabeth Giberson and Donald Butler were guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Barns Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Neville Wagstaff and Mr. and Mrs. Graden McAdams and son, Richard, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Castle in Sante Fe Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Downing and sons were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Downing, of Stop 21.

Mrs. Arnetta Hopping returned to her home at the Wagstaff Hotel Sunday after spending a few days with relatives at Yellow Springs, Ohio.

Mrs. Perio, of Warren called on Mrs. J. R. Cordrey Saturday evening

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Martin, of Marion, were guestsY of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Martin Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Myers and children, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Kaufman were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Barns Sunday.

Mrs. Henry Martin visited from Monday until Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Bert Brackney and son in Spencerville.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ward and children were guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Kline in Lake View Thanksgiving Day. Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Spyker and little Helen and Earnest Williams were also guests.

Earl Sloan and son, Earl Marion, and Mrs. Ira Morris, were visitors in Lima Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Andrews and sons were Thanksgiving dinner guests of Mrs. Sarah Ann Andrews in Waynesfield.

Mr. and Mrs. John Greymeier were guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Barns and family Thursday.

WAYNESFIELD

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Edgington and family and Miss Forest Edgington of Dayton spent Thanksgiving and the week end with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Edgington.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Williams and son Donald Eugene, Mrs. Jones and Mrs. C. C. William of Lima were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Neff and son Robert.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Wiswell of Columbus, Mr. and Mrs. Don Coleman and Daniel Cook of Lima, were Thanksgiving guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Wiswell.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Gossard and daughter Nellie had as their guests Thursday, Mr. and Mrs. Denzil Gossard and daughter Virginia, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gossard and family, Mr. and Mrs. Clair Gossard and family and Mr. and Mrs. Bert Frederick.

Misses Codel Tussing, Ellen Horn, Violet Rinehart and Josephine Stocker spent their Thanksgiving vacation at their homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Horn and family were Thursday guests at the home of Oscar Pennle and family.

Mrs. Wm. Prescott and daughter Frances, Mr. and Mrs. Ault and family and Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Horn and family were Thursday guests at the home of Mrs. Wm. Brown at Harrod.

Fred Moyer and family were Sunday guests of Emmett Moyer and family.

COLDWATER

Miss Margaret Geise returned Monday from a pleasant visit with Mr. and Mrs. Julius B. Birkmeyer at Akron. Her mother, Mrs. Otto Geise who accompanied her remained in Akron to visit until the holidays.

Captain J. A. Cummins and Attorney Malcolm V. Skinner of Portland, Indiana, were business visitors in Coldwater, Tuesday night.

Mrs. George Heiser, Jr., is visiting relatives at Lima.

Mrs. F. H. Brumm, Mrs. Edward H. Hess and Mrs. Carl Z. Hess united with their mother, Mrs. P. F. Dugan of Celina in giving two parties at the Dugan home on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings of last week.

Oscar H. Birkmeyer resumed his studies at Ft. Wayne after a short visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clem Birkmeyer.

Patriotism Post of American Legion has elected the following officers for the coming year: Commander, Robert H. Kallmeyer; vice commander Tony Hierholzer; executive committee, Charles Kanoor, John H. Osterfeld and Leslie Lingo. The legionaires are contemplating building a home early in the new year.

VAN WERT

Chas. Balyeat attended a meeting of the Scottish Rite Masons at Toledo Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cassidy have returned from a visit with relatives at Pontiac, Ill.

Mrs. J. J. Maginn and Mrs. J. Armstrong of Lima, were guests of Mrs. Byron J. Smith last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Tronefield have returned home from Cincinnati where they visited their daughter Mrs. Nichols Spousellor.

Mrs. Eva Liviness has returned to Lima after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Leviness.

W. D. Dunifon has gone to Columbus on a business mission.

Godfrey Hertel has gone to Bourbon, Ind., for a visit with relatives

Mrs. C. J. Vortkamp of Lima is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Holden.

Mrs. William Good has returned to Russell Point after visiting her mother Mrs. C. R. Reid.

I. N. Chubb and Mrs. Wm. Hettel were called to Coshocton to attend the funeral of a relative.

Mrs. J. W. Edwards of Chattanooga, Tenn., who was called here on account of the death of her father A. J. Brown returned to her home Saturday.

LAKEVIEW

C. F. Hand, T. E. Barrington and C. S. Lawson of Russell Point appraised the property Saturday of the late Salathial Prater.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Maynard of Columbus spent Thanksgiving week at their cottage at Russell Point. On Thanksgiving Day they entertained at dinner, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Barrington, Mrs. Kenneth Prater and father, Alexander Shaw.

Mr and Mrs. George L. Miller spent Thanksgiving week in Columbus, returning home Saturday evening.

E. L. Van Horn and family, and Mrs. Thirza Shultz spent Thanksgiving Day at the home of John Horn and family near East Liberty.

Mr. and Mrs. William E. Wuenschel plan a holiday visit with relatives at St. Louis and will leave here about December 18 by motor.

Mrs. Keturah Prater and her father Alexander Shaw, aged 68, years, plan to leave about December 15 for Sarasota, Fla., to spend the remainder of the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Turner, of Russell Point left the fore part of this week to spend the winter at Atlanta, Ga. Their daughter Mrs. Lena Montgomery resides in that city

BLUFFTON

Turley Ruptright has purchased a share in the J. A. Thompson grocery.

Miss Mabel Mother and Edgar Montgomery were quietly married Wednesday afternoon at the home of officiating minister, Rev. H. C. Blosser. The couple will reside at the home of the groom's parents, for the present.

Howard Stager and Sylvia Niswander were married Saturday evening at the home of the officiating minister Rev. H. C. Blosser. The young couple will reside on Cherry-st in the M. M. Murray house.

Funeral services for Amelia Diller, 15, were held Tuesday at the Reformed church.

The W. C. T. U. met Friday afternoon with Mrs. J. W. Althouse of Main-st.

Mrs. J. J. Kennel of Trenton, spent the past week with her daughter, Mrs. H. W. Berkley and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Hauenstein and family spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Edward Davy at Cleveland.

Dr. and Mrs. S. K. Mosiman spent the week-end at Middletown with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Moasiman.

Magdalene Baumgartner, instructor at Rocky River spent the Thanksgiving vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Baumgartner.

A. M. Landis of Dayton spent Thanksgiving with his mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Parrish.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Hawk of Toledo, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Hawk.

Mr. and Mrs. Steiner Geiger of Ober, Ind., spent the Thanksgiving vacation with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Stultz and Mr. and Mrs. Cal Geiger.

SPENCERVILLE

Miss Mildred Stelzer of Bowling Green college, was a Thanksgiving guest at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Stelzer and family.

Miss Maud Miller, of Springfield, was a guest of friends here over the week end. She returned to Springfield Tuesday.

Mrs. Margaret Hirn is spending the week at St. Marys as the guest of her grand daughter, Mrs. S. H Pence.

Rev. C. J. Hance was called to Dunkirk, Wednesday to preach the funeral services of Thomas Smith which were held at that place.

Miss Marjorie Kephart spent the week end at Miami University, Oxford, as the guest of the Misses Edith Stose and Helen Post, students at the University.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Williams and son, Harold, of Delphos, were the Saturday and Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kaskel and daughter.

Miss Merle Reynolds of Mansfield, was the week end guest of her mother Mrs. W. A. Reynolds and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Leo Cochrun and son, Bud, and daughter, Betty, of Detroit, were the Thanksgiving guests of J. L. Cochrun and other Spencerville relatives and friends.

The Misses Carolyn Jamieson and Mabel Guy of Lima, were the Sunday guests of Miss Jamieson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Jamieson.

Mrs. Lillian Colt, who spent the last few weeks with relatives at Cincinnati, returned to Spencerville and will be the guests of relatives and friends here for two weeks before returning to her home at Hendersonville, N. Carolina.

KALIDA

Dr. and Mrs. John D. Watterson have announced the marriage of their daughter, Ima Jean to Dr. Fred G. Carter, Saturday November 17.

Mrs. Fred Buck and son Clare, of Toledo, spent the week-end with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Kirkendall of Toledo, spent Sunday with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kirkendall.

The 500 club was entertained Monday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Windle. The following members were present: Lenore Tinsman, Nina Watterson, Mary Quinn, Blanche Barman, Minnie Beard, Lenora Lee. Invited guests were Lulu Kimmiske Emma Edelbrock, Mrs. Robert Ludlow, Mrs. I. Kathorne and Helen Rimer.

Leora and Lela Stauffer of Findlay, spent the week-end with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. George McCoy of Ft. Wayne, spent a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Fortman.

Miss Helen Rimer spent the week-end with her sister Winifred at Delaware.

Mrs. Wm. Shirey and sons and Mrs. John Quinn were Ottawa callers Monday.

Chas. Roy of Detroit spent a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Roy.

Miss Mary Shirey of Cleveland spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shirey.

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Blankenmeyer and children of Cloverdale spent Sunday at the Joe Hohenbrink home.

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Political maneuverings during the past week at Washington have been kaleidoscopic in their character, and of such rapidity that one is dazed in attempting to follow the many moves made.

Out of it all, what with the reassembling of congress for the winter term, breaking of silence on the part of President Coolidge in the submission of his message to the law making body, and opening of the fight in various states for delegates to the national conventions, the political gossips have had material aplenty for mouthing over.

In the meantime, activities of one Hiram W Johnson, United States senator from California, in seeking aid and support of a sufficient number of delegates in the Republican National pow wow next year to enable him to land the presidential nomination, goes merrily on, while friends and backers of Wm. G. McAdoo, former secretary of the treasury who curled his lip disdainfully in 1920 when it appeared he could be nominated as the standard bearer of the Democrats, are endeavoring to secure for him what he refused—or couldn't get—at San Francisco

First round in state support has been won by Coolidge and McAdoo, as is disclosed with the clearing away of the smoke of battle in the initial tests. The president is being opposed by Johnson, but McAdoo is having his own way about it possibly with the exception of the fear being thrown into his heart by the Ford movement, which persists in spite of disclaimers of candidacy from the Michigan man.

James Middleton Cox, recognized head of the Democratic party in Ohio, who made a magnificent campaign in 1920, as the candidate for president, but was swamped in a landslide that would not be denied, is making no apparent effort to garner delegates for the 1924 preferment While there has been no announcement forthcoming from the Ohio man it is asserted by friends that he isn't actually a candidate—not in the sense that he is willing to stage a fight for the nomination on any old kind of a platform the party manipulators see fit to fashion for their candidate. In other words, the statement persists that Governor Cox stands now where he stood in 1920, on the score of the League of Nations—an article advocate of its adoption by America Nothing more, nothing less.

If he is made the party's choice, of course naturally then it would follow that he is to be given carte blanche in the matter of designating the major issue. Of course it would be the League His position is such as to command admiration.

In the organization of congress, getting ready for the battles to come the Democratic members did what is conceded to be a wise move in refusing to unite with the Republican insurgents in the election of a speaker of the House that threatened to be an irreconcilable break between the regulars and the insurgents in the Republican camp finally dissipated when the insurgents threw their support to Frederick H. Gillett of Massachusetts, making assured his election breaking the deadlock.

The Democratic members maintained a solid front for Representative Garrett of Tennessee, floor leader in the last congress. Having voted independently, it is anticipated that the Democratic force will continue along strict party lines, in anticipation of an upheaval in the ranks next year in behalf of that party Satisfaction in great hunks is being echoed in the hearts of the Democratic partisans in Ohio as they contemplate the action of their representatives in congress

Echoes coming to the fore from various parts of the state are indicative of the general state of the Democratic mind, there is commendation of the "no compromise" attitude existing among representatives of that faith Whether wanted or not, congress is on the job and the fireworks fest has begun. May its career be brief.

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Seldom does it fall to the fortune of a man that he is sought by an opponent Usually it's the other way about But in the case of James A. Baker, superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League of Ohio, developments during the past week indicate that he is for a second time being made the target of a movement begun by friends in his behalf.

Columbus publicity bureau that has been on the payroll of the Ohio foes of the enemies of the saloon and liquor in its various forms, is circulating over the state a form petition, and the work of soliciting signatures has been started, asking Baker to become a candidate for mayor—on the Republican ticket, of course since it is a well known and never disputed successfully. The league is an adjunct of the Republican party. White says he didn't know a thing about it and has no comment to make. He's just as innocent about it as a lamb.

The petitions are expected to get hundreds of desired results among the prohibition workers and others despite the fact that Perley A. Dye, superintendent of the anti-saloon league (Anti-Saloon, not baseball) has declared his enmity to Baker's prospects along that line. It appears to have decided that Baker cannot have his aid or that of his friends. White swallowed the bait, too. What the harvest will be no man knows.

The remembrance of what happened in 1922 may have actuated Baker to favor to stick a pin in the White boom. About the same sort of move was made in his behalf then that is being made now. He was assured widespread support and it looked like all he'd have to do would be to say "yes," to land the nomination. Then what happened? Just this: White fell for the blandishments of Maurice Maschke of Cleveland, Rud Hynicka of Cincinnati and Dan Brower of Dayton, who sought to put over Carmi Thompson. White gave his aid, Carmi was nominated—and was defeated by Vic Donahey in the election.

Perhaps Dr. Baker fears that Jim may do the same thing again; that he may jolly along with nomination prospects for a time, until he builds up a strong organization, and then turn over it to another. What the price will be in 1924—or was in 1920—is a matter of conjecture.

According to gossip trickling thru from Columbus, the consensus of opinion among the rank and file of the Republicans is that White should not be a candidate: that he should retain his present position as boss of the organization fighting to make a Sahara of America. Whether any of the petitions designed to smoke White out have reached Lima, has not been disclosed.

While John F. Burke of Elyria, and John L. Cable of Lima, are the only avowed candidates in the open, it is accepted as final that former Governor Harry L. Davis of Cleveland and Carmi A. Thompson, of the same city, will make a try for nomination.

Attorney General C. C. Crabbe and Secretary of State Thad H. Brown are in a receptive mood and are watching with consuming interest the outcome of the move for White. Friends of former Secretary of State Harvey C. Smith expect him to make the race again ,altho he took a beautiful drubbing in the primary in 1922 To date, neither Smith nor Thompson have said yes or no

Another development of the past week was the launching of a boomlet for United States District Attorney Benson W. Hough, as a "soldier candidate" Hough was hiked off the Supreme court bench by the voters for his vote in denying a referendum on the emergency clause of the Governor Davis reorganization measure.

Reports continue here and there that Judge George Clark and Roscoe C. McCullough, both of Canton, will announce at the proper time, while friends of Congressman Chas. Brand of Urbana insist he must be reckoned with. In any event, there'll be no shortage of candidatorial timber.

It may be said with some degree of reliability that prospect of Governor Donahey being required to face opposition in the Democratic primary election next year is not a certainty at this time; no more than it has been since the possibility was first broached by a coterie of folks who, for some one reason or another, are not jubilant over the idea of Vic endeavoring to stay another two years.

The most pessimistic of the friends of the chief executive are forced to admit that the outlook isn't quite so gloomy now as it appeared some months ago, when talk of one or more other candidates appeared to be general. In other words, the opposition has given evidence of "flattening", according to information from Columbus, but it may be the calm before the storm.

Democratic leaders in Lima and Allen-co have been anxious to get a reflection of the real situation and for that purpose have made sundry trips to Columbus during the past few weeks. Reports of parleys among big-wigs for the purpose of lining up opposition to the present occupant of the executive office, when run down by Columbus news scouts, proved to be flivvers. The thing has at no time gotten beyond the suggested stage—not of sufficient importance to cause Governor Vic more than a modicum of mental disturbance.

However, it should not be taken for granted that there is no prospect of ultimate opposition to Governor Donahey. Lima party men declare the danger still exists, altho having been dissipated to a certain extent. There is always a goodly supply of folks watching and waiting for an opportunity to hoist themselves into fame on the slightest provocation. Consequently, if it appears there is likelihood of a ghost of a chance for another next year, there'll be opposition to enliven the primary.

Sore spots developed here and there in the party ranks have not altogether healed. In fact, some of them are still very much irritated.

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When the body of James Ross was buried at Fredericktown, Knox-co, during the past week, one of the most striking figures in the annals of politics in Ohio passed off the stage of action. Ross was accredited as being the Democratic boss of Franklin-co, but in his own view of the situation, he was merely a leader.

Certain it is that during more than a quarter of a century as chairman of the county committee, he wielded a wide influence, not only in the affairs of his own county, but also in state and national politics. He was the friend and adviser of state representatives and senators, governors, congressmen and United States senators. His ability was recognized by presidents and by those who manipulate politics from a "behind the throne" position.

He may have been a "boss", so far as directing political policies is concerned, but friends and enemies of the Franklin-co man are a unit in the fixed belief that his efforts were always directed along honorable and honest lines.

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Governor Donahey, Auditor of State J. T. Tracy and Attorney General C. C. Crabbe are finding that the task of selecting a site and ordering the building of a $3,000,000 office structure to house state departments, is not a simple matter.

As in all cases where money is to be expended, complications have arisen. There is developing a division of sentiment concerning the proper location and the method of building. Echoes from Columbus indicate that the commission has practically decided to locate the building, or buildings, whatever may be decided to be done, on the present state house grounds, comprising ten acres, only a small portion of which is occupied at present. The building commission may find further complications in the law authorizing the expenditure of necessary money for an office building, too.

The legislature apparently did not contemplate a building on the capitol grounds. So, there's something more to worry about.

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Best laid plans often go awry. They appear to have done that very thing in the case of Congressman Theodore E Burton, long talked of as the favorite of Ohioans connected with the government at Washington, for the Republican nomination for governor of the Buckeye state.

After it had become generally understood—and also generally accepted—that Burton was in a receptive mood and that the thing was all fixed, along comes an announcement from Washington to the effect that he doesn't want the place, isn't a candidate, and will resist efforts to crowd a nomination upon him—unless, of course, it should come without opposition. And there's no prospect of anything like that occurring.

Burton's friends are becoming suspicious of a coterie of Ohio leaders who have been displaying a marked degree of interest in the futuer of the Cleveland man.

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There's no understanding the methods of some persons. Reference is made to a coterie of folks apparently determined to bring about a special session of the legislature, early in 1924, for the purpose of tinkering with the tax question. The sentiment is right, but the plan is wrong, it is a certainty.

Until there is something to work on that will in the end prove acceptable and workable, there is about as much need of a special session as the proverbial nine wheels for a wagon. Enacting laws and then endeavoring to create sentiment for them is bad policy. The defunct Taft and Albaugh laws are examples of the fallacy.

There is no doubting the statement that something must be done along taxation lines, but any plan brought to the fore must first be made acceptable to at least a majority of the people. As one understands it, the mission of a legislature is to reflect in its acts the will of the people. Any other plan is like trying to build a substantial house without a foundation.

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The very latest bit of political gossip finding its way out of Washington, affecting the Ohio situation, is a story that has to do with Wm. G. McAdoo and Governor Vic Donahey.

As the National Capitol dopester serves it, Donahey is in reality on the McAdoo bandwagon, "for better or worse," as they say it in the marriage ceremony. The attitude of the governor along the line of action by the Ohio delegation in the 1924 convention may have been responsible for the story.

At any rate, Donahey has repeatedly stated that the Ohio delegation should remain steadfastly loyal to James M Cox, so long as his name is before the convention, but that in event he cannot be nominated, the Ohio delegates should be free to go where they choose.

The Washington writer seizes upon that as an excuse for his story that the Buckeye state governor is really for McAdoo, while ostensibly for Cox The yarn goes farther than that, declaring that Cox is opposed to Donahey for renomination and that the governor is framing things to "get even". Believe it if you like.

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Since United States Senators Francis Bartlett Willis and Simeon D Fess have "had it out" along the line of who shall be the "favorite son" in Ohio, should such a thing be necessary to aid Calvin Coolidge against Hi Johnson as a presidential aspirant, they're giving more time to affairs which promise better results.

Senator Fess has picked out for himself a new secretary, in the person of Edward M. Martin, of Woodsfield, who resigned as journal clerk of the national house of representatives to take on the new experience.

Martin will doubtless find that the task of piloting the affairs of a public man, such as a United States senator, is a more exacting one than doing clerical work for congress. Secretaries of famous men are supposed to be able to get along without sleep, and give up eating also, if it interferes with their duties.

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Those Ohioans who assume to see in Judge Davy Rockwell's activity for McAdoo, a certainty that former Governor James M Cox has been eliminated as a presidential prospect, are reckoning without their host.

Rockwell's action in quitting the Cox forces isn't disturbing the Dayton man, so far as has been noticed. Neither has he become perturbed over the reputed prospect of Ed. Moore of Youngstown and George White of Marietta, flirting with the "son-in-law" outfit. Jim Cox isn't easily frightened, and the fight hasn't really started.

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Some of these days there's going to be a nifty little political story to be told, when it becomes certain that Lima will have two candidates for the Republican gubernatorial nomination—if it should so eventuate, as now threatens.

Congressman John L. Cable is already in—or rather his hat is—and friends of Harry Bentley have been endeavoring to push him across the border line of indecision in a like measure. Friend Bentley doesn't like to be crowded. Like all substantial persons, he desires to analyze a situation carefully before making a plunge.

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A row has been kicked up in this congressional district, it is apparent over the reported action of Congressman John L. Cable in picking Clif Huenke of New Bremen as his successor in the House of Representatives—with the approval of the voters of course.

The Miami-co leaders have declared their allegiance to Wilson W. Wood 3d, while Darke-co folks are crowding George W. Porter into the limelight Since Cable will not again be a candidate for congress, it is anticipated that the number of aspirants for the Republican nomination will grow with time.

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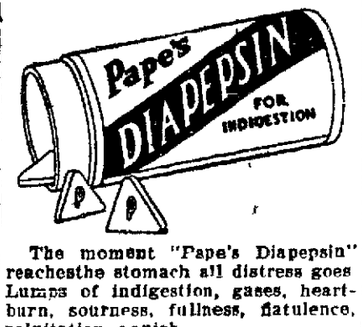

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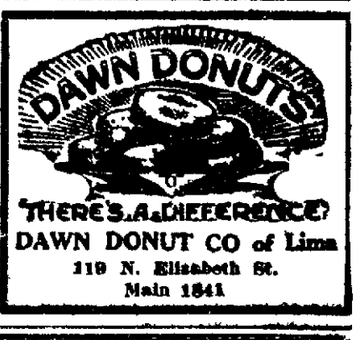

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SHORT SHAVINGS

Down in New York a snake fell dead when it was exhibited before a large audience. Probably the snake thought they were all anxious for a "snake bite" and died of heart failure.

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It's all right to allow your conscience to be your guide, but what is the profiteer going to do?—Spencerville Journal-News. Perhaps they have no consciences to worry about.

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A University of Michigan professor has discovered that alcholic insanity is on the decrease. Poison liquor kills them before they get that far.

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Convict in Massachusetts is playing the stock market. Oh, well, they may break him but they won't take his home away from him.

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A Chicago woman has figured the value of her time when devoted to housework is 35 cents an hour. At that rate the bricklayers and plasterers will not be after the job.

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At that the owners of radio sets will probably suffer the most in the next presidential election.

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There are some persons who are so mercenary they would like to charge for sunlight. As things were last week, most of us would have been willing to pay for it.

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Experimenters say one can get almost as much kick out of sticking their finger in an electric light socket as in drinking some present day "hard" beverages.

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Which reminds us that a friend of ours died because of hard drink. He choked on a piece of ice.

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William Bliss has been granted a divorce from Kate Bliss in Los Angeles. Which proves there is nothing in a name.

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The inventor who has devised a window lock that gets tighter the more one tries to open it probably got his idea from a car window.

RADIO NEWS

SUNDAY

STATION WOC
484 Meters, Davenport.
9:00 a. m. Sacred Chimes concert.
1:30 p. m. Concert.
7:00 p. m. Organ recital.
7:30 p. m. Sport news.
8:00 p. m. Church service.
9:00 p. m. Musical program.

STATION KDKA
326 Meters, East Pittsburgh.
10:00 a. m. Service of Calvary Episcopal church.
1:30 p. m. "The Night Before Christmas."
1:45 p. m. Concert.
3:45 p. m. Vesper services of Shadyside Presbyterian church.
5:30 p. m. Concert.
7:00 p. m. Services of Point Breeze Presbyterian church.

STATION KYW
536 Meters, Chicago
11:00 a. m. Central Church service. Musical program.
7:00 p. m. Chicago Sunday Evening Club service.

STATION WBZ
337 Meters, Springfield, Mass.
9:45 a. m. Services from Church of Unity.
5:45 p. m. Vespers on Springfield Municipal Chimes.
7:30 p. m. Church service.

STATION WGY
380 Meters, Schenectady.
9:30 a. m. Service of First Baptist church.
2:30 p. m. Musical program.
6:30 p. m. Service of First Baptist church.

STATION WWJ
580 Kilocycles, Detroit.
10:00 a. m. Services of St. Paul's Episcopal Cathedral.
4:00 p. m. Detroit News Orchestra.

MONDAY

STATION WOC
484 Meters, Davenport, Ia.
3:30 p. m. Educational program.
6:45 p. m. Chimes concert.
6:30 p. m. Sandman's visit.
6:50 p. m. Sport news.
7:00 p. m. Educational lecture.
8:00 p. m. Musical program.

STATION WGY
380 Meters, Schenectady
6:45 p. m. Musical program.

STATION KDKA
326 Meters, East Pittsburgh
5:15 p. m. Concert.
6:15 p. m. Radio Girl Scout meeting.
6:45 p. m. Children's period.
7:15 p. m. "The Romance of Meat Packing."
7:30 p. m. Artists from the Studio of Anne Griffiths present Handel's "Messiah."
9:00 p. m. Greb-Taney lightweight champion fight.

STATION KYW
536 Meters, Chicago
3:30-4:30 p. m. Sports.
6:30 p. m. Sport summary.

STATION WBZ
337 Meters, Springfield, Mass.
5:00 p. m. Concert.
6:00 p. m. This week in history. Humorous program.
6:30 p. m. Twilight tales. Farmers' period.
7:00 p. m. Concert.
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ABE MARTIN On Bill Hohenzollern's Return to Germany

QUIET INDIGNATION

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